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#5404 REGISTERED ARCHITECT
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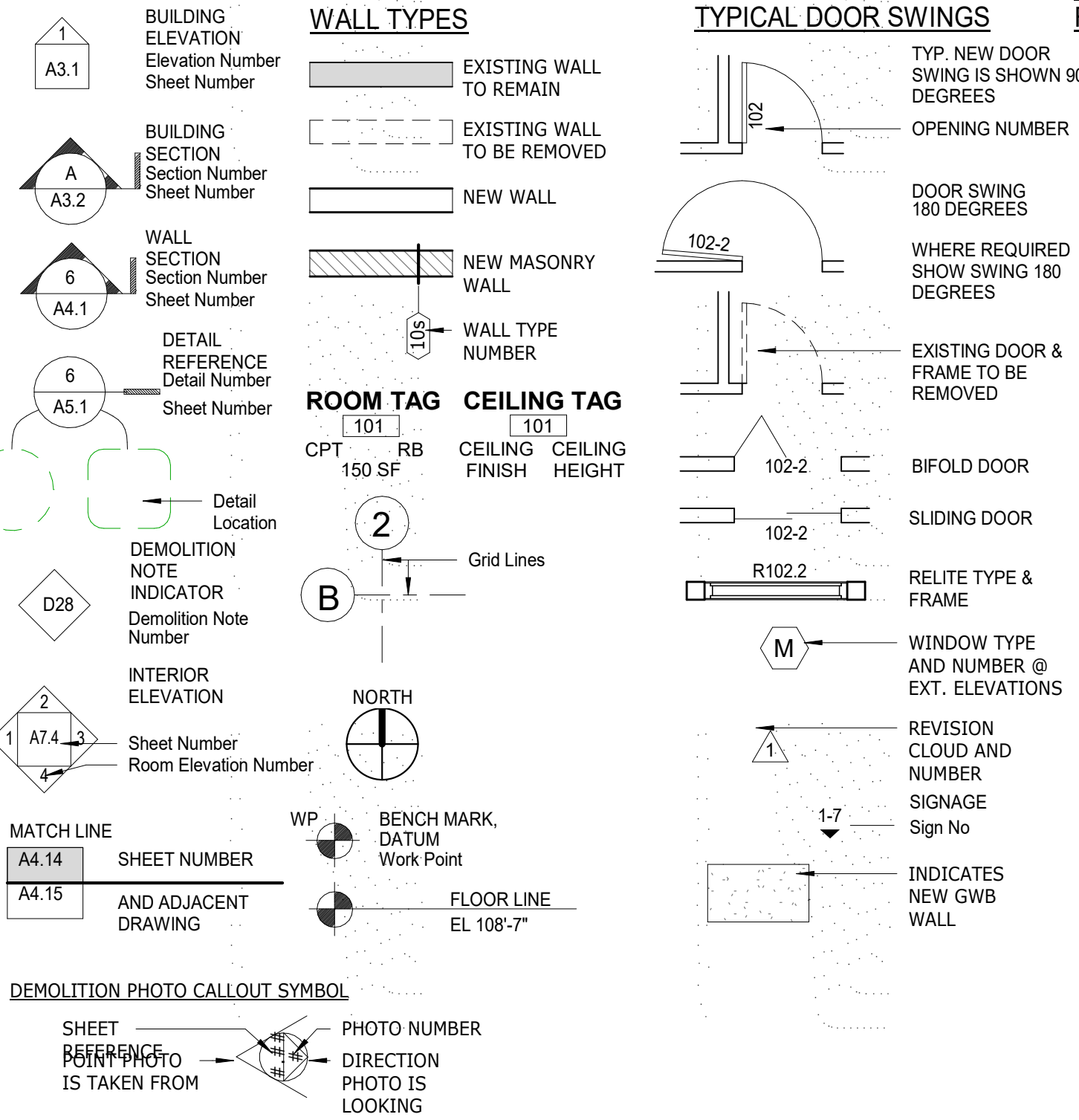
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SCALE: 1" = 10'-0"

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LAND USE FRONT SETBACK VARIANCE - FEBRUARY, 2021

LEGEND COMPLETE ANNOTATIONS



GENERAL NOTES

1. VERIFY AND COORDINATE SITE CONDITIONS AND DIMENSIONS. BRING INCONSISTENCIES TO THE ATTENTION OF THE ARCHITECT BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH WORK.
2. IMMEDIATELY BRING ERRORS AND OMISSION FOUND IN THESE DRAWINGS TO THE ATTENTION OF THE ARCHITECT.
3. DO NOT SCALE DRAWINGS. FOLLOW DIMENSIONS SHOWN ON DRAWINGS AND ACTUAL FIELD MEASUREMENTS. NOTIFY ARCHITECT OF ANY DISCREPANCIES.
4. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE TO FACE OF STUD, FACE OF CONCRETE AND MASONRY, FACE OF FRAMING, OR CENTERLINE OF COLUMNS, UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
5. COORDINATE SIZES AND LOCATIONS OF OPENINGS AND ROUGH-INS FOR MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT WITH MECHANICAL CONTRACTOR, AND SHOP DRAWINGS APPROVED BY ARCHITECT, BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH WORK.
6. VERIFY SIZES AND LOCATIONS OF MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT PADS, BASES, AND POWER FOR WATER AND DRAIN INSTALLATION WITH EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURER BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH WORK.
7. COORDINATE EXACT LOCATION OF PLUMBING AND PIPING WITH PLUMBING SUBCONTRACTOR.



VICINITY MAP

DRAWING LIST

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

THIS PROJECT CONSISTS OF A NEW TWO CAR GARAGE, AND A PARTIAL SECOND FLOOR ADDITION WITH A NEW EXTERIOR ELEVATED DECK / TERRACE.

ADDRESS: 3835 139th PLACE SE, BELLEVUE, WA 98006

COUNTY TAX NO: 220650-0585

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: LOT 6 BLOCK 10, EASTGATE ADDITION DIVISION K, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN VOLUME 55 OF PLATS, PAGE 21 THROUGH 22, IN KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

GENERAL CODE REQUIREMENTS

JURISDICTION: CITY OF BELLEVUE

SITE AREA: 9,540.75 SF. (0.22 ACRES)

TOTAL AREA OF BUILDINGS ON SITE:

EXISTING: 1,250 SF.

NEW ADDITION: 638.68 SF

GARAGE: 638.68 SF

BEDROOM ADDITION: 78.30 SF

SECOND FLOOR: 638.00 SF

NEW ADDITION TOTAL: 1,354.98 SF

PROPOSED LOT COVERAGE = 20.62%

TOTAL IMPERVIOUS AREA ON SITE:
EXISTING: 1,695 SF
NEW IMPERVIOUS: 200 SF
PROPOSED IMPERVIOUS SURFACE COVERAGE = 40.48%

LIST OF CODES AND STANDARDS:
INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTIAL BUILDING CODE (IRC) 2015 EDITION
NATIONAL ELECTRIC CODE (NEC) 2017 EDITION
ANSI 117.1- 2020
2015 WASHINGTON STATE NON-RESIDENTIAL ENERGY CODE

OCCUPANCY CLASSIFICATIONS: GROUP: **SINGLE RESIDENCE - ZONING R-5**

TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION: TYPE: **II-B**

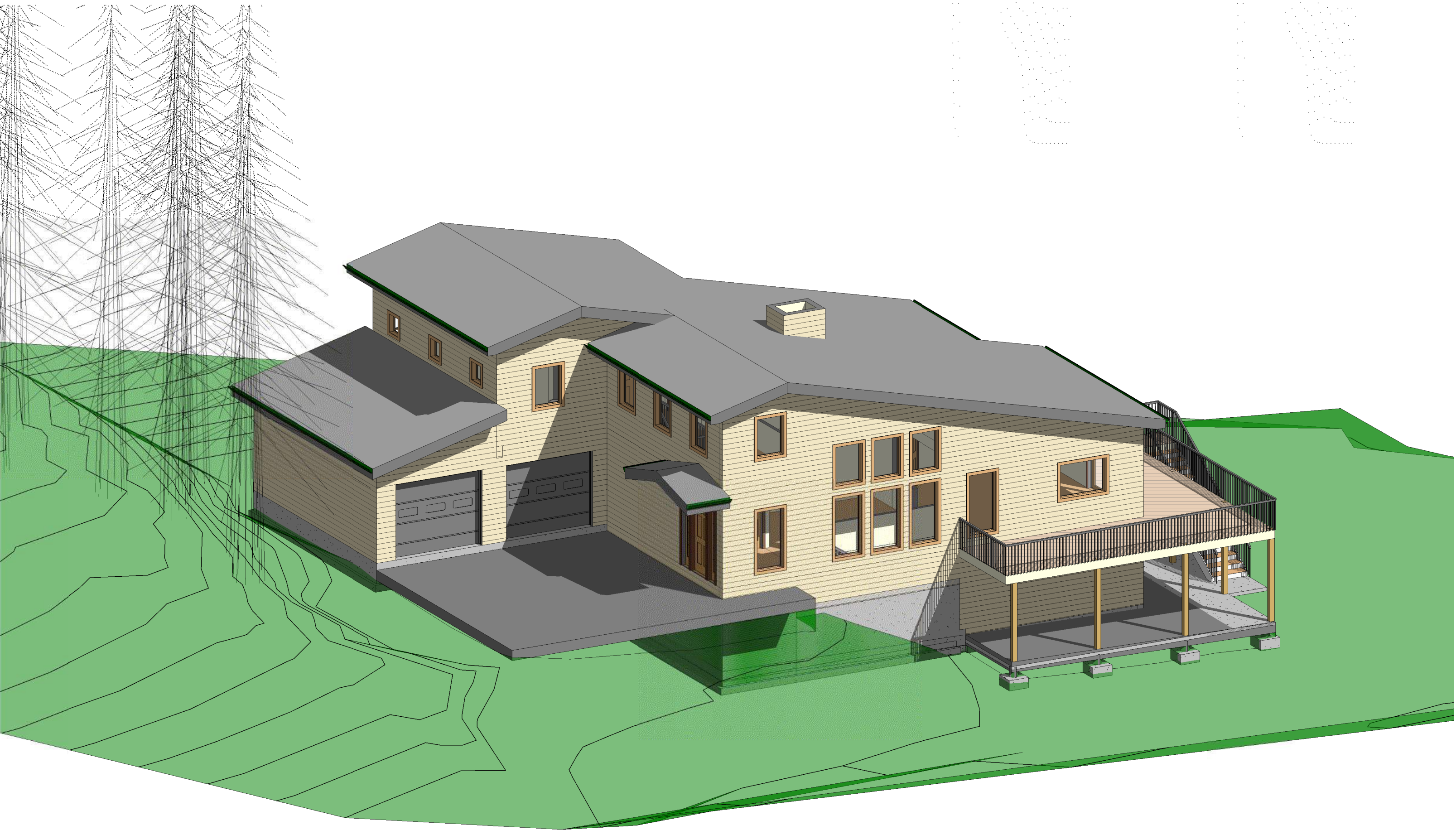
LAND USE CLASSIFICATION: PER CHAR 20.20.010 RESIDENTIAL R-5
FRONT YARD: 10 FEET STEEP SLOPES CONDITION
SIDE YARDS: 5 FEET
REAR YARD: 20 FEET
BUILDING HEIGHT: 35 FEET SLOPE ROOFS
MAXIMUM IMPERVIOUS SURFACE: 55%



EXISTING HOUSE FRONT VIEW



EXISTING HOUSE REAR VIEW



1 PERSPECTIVE PROPOSED DESIGN

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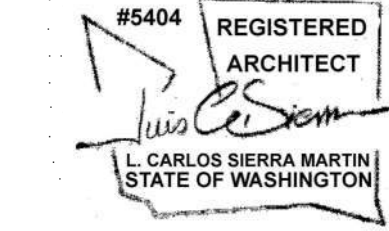
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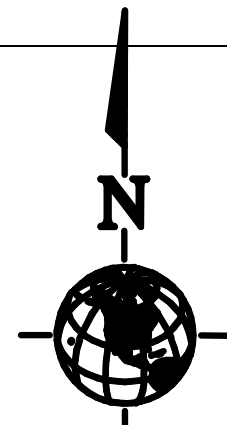
COVER SHEET

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SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"

LAND USE SET

PORTION OF THE SE 1/4, SW 1/4, SECTION 10, TWP. 24 N., RGE. 5E., W.M.
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON



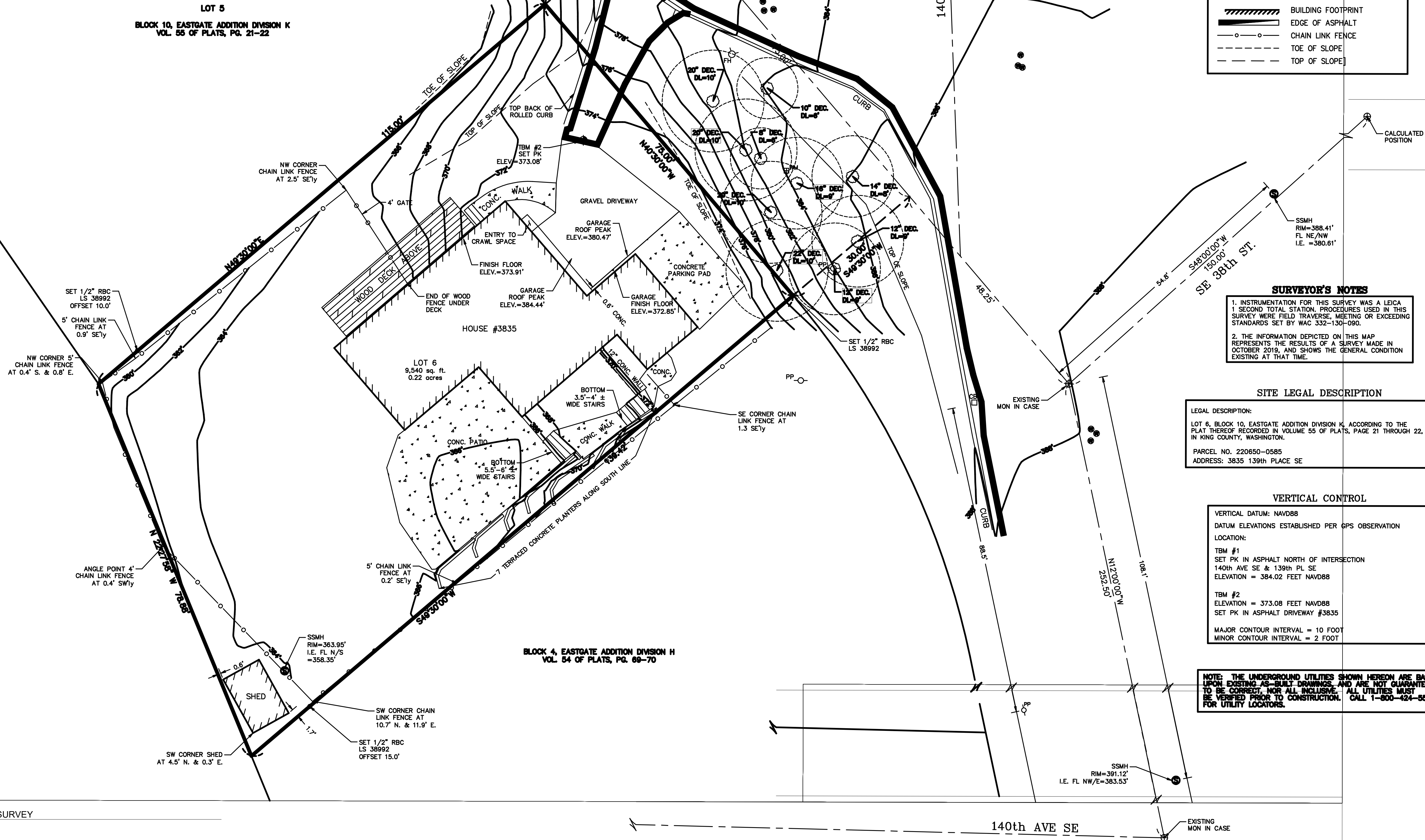
1" = 10'
0' 10' 20'
AREA = 9,540 SQ. FT. OR 0.22 ACRES
BASIS OF BEARINGS:
PLAT OF EASTGATE ADDITION DIVISION K

LEGEND

- = SET 1/2" REBAR W/CAP LS #38992
- ✕ = SET TACK/LEAD
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- ▬▬▬ = WOOD DECK
- ⊙ = TEMPORARY BENCHMARK (TBM)

LINETYPE LEGEND

- ▬▬▬ BUILDING FOOTPRINT
- ▬▬▬ EDGE OF ASPHALT
- CHAIN LINK FENCE
- - - TOE OF SLOPE
- - - TOP OF SLOPE



SURVEYOR'S NOTES

1. INSTRUMENTATION FOR THIS SURVEY WAS A LEICA 1 SECOND TOTAL STATION. PROCEDURES USED IN THIS SURVEY WERE FIELD TRAVERSE, MEETING OR EXCEEDING STANDARDS SET BY WAC 332-130-090.
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VERTICAL CONTROL

VERTICAL DATUM: NAVD88
DATUM ELEVATIONS ESTABLISHED PER GPS OBSERVATION
LOCATION:
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140th AVE SE & 139th PL SE
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TBM #2
ELEVATION = 373.08 FEET NAVD88
SET PK IN ASPHALT DRIVEWAY #3835
MAJOR CONTOUR INTERVAL = 10 FOOT
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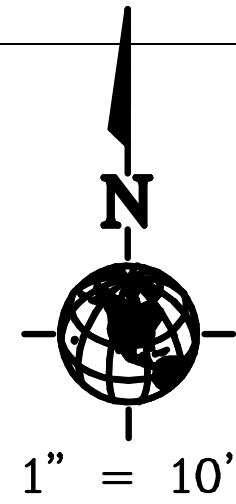
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SITE PLAN

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SET 1/2" RBC
LS 38992
OFFSET 10.0'
5' CHAIN LINK
FENCE AT
0.9' SE'y
NW CORNER 5'
CHAIN LINK FENCE
AT 0.4' S. & 0.8' E.

ANGLE POINT 4'
CHAIN LINK FENCE
AT 0.4' SW'y

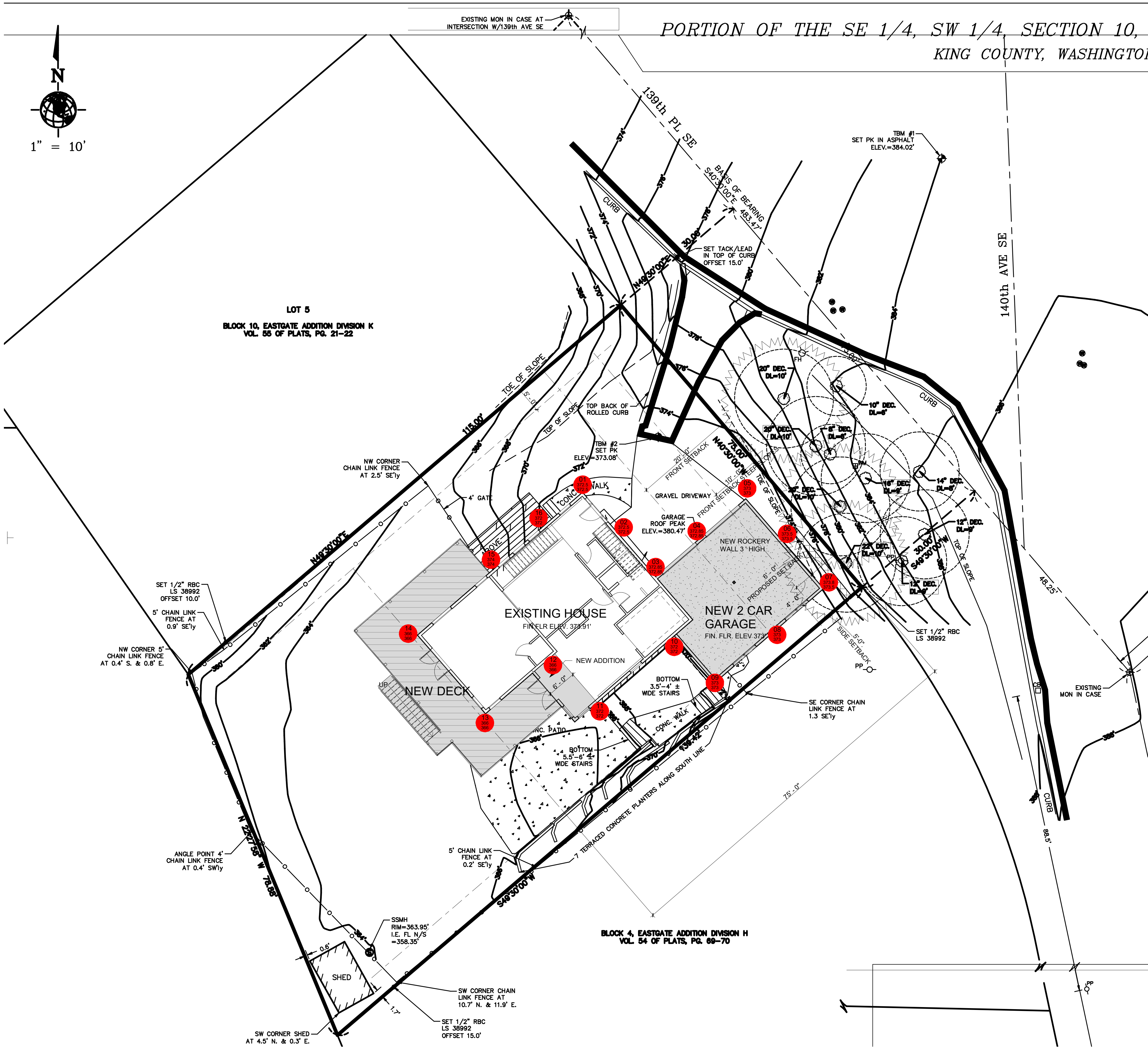
SW CORNER SHED
AT 4.5' N. & 0.3' E.

SW CORNER CHAIN
LINK FENCE AT
10.7' N. & 11.9' E.

SET 1/2" RBC
LS 38992
OFFSET 15.0'

BLOCK 4, EASTGATE ADDITION DIVISION H
VOL. 54 OF PLATS, PG. 68-70

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INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE: BUILDING HEIGHT

IBC 504 AND TABLE 504.3
OCCUPANCY GROUP: SINGLE RESIDENCE R-5
BUILDING CONSTRUCTION TYPE II B - NON RATED
ALLOWABLE BUILDING HEIGHT:
TOTAL ALLOWABLE BUILDING HEIGHT (FEET) / STORIES= (35') MID POINT OF SLOPE ROOF

GRADE PLANE CALCULATION:
PER IBC 2015 SECTION 202 THE GRADE PLANE IS CALCULATED AS THE AVERAGE OF FINISHED GROUND LEVEL ADJOINING THE BUILDING AT EXTERIOR WALLS. WHERE THE FINISHED GROUND LEVEL SLOPES AWAY FROM THE EXTERIOR WALLS, THE REFERENCE PLANE SHALL BE ESTABLISHED BY THE LOWEST POINTS WITHIN THE AREA BETWEEN THE BUILDING ... AND A POINT 6 FEET FROM THE BUILDING.

PER THE PLAN AND TABLES ON THIS SHEET THE GRADE PLANE = 371.54'

BUILDING HEIGHT CALCULATION:
PER SECTION 202 GRADE PLANE DEFINITION

LOWER LEVEL AT ELEV 366'
MAIN LEVEL AT ELEV 373.91'
UPPER LEVEL AT ELEV 382.91'
BUILDING HEIGHT FROM GRADE PLANE TO
AVG. ELEVATION OF HIGHEST SLOPING BUILDING ROOF: 24.35'
ELEVATION OF TO HIGHEST ROOF RIDGE: **24.35'**
MAXIMUM BUILDING HEIGHT : 35'
COMPLIANT: YES

BUILDING HEIGHT		
TAG	EXIST. ELEVATION	PROPOSED ELEV
01	372.5	372.5
02	372.5	372.5
03	372.85	372.85
04	372.85	372.85
05	373	373
06	373.5	373.5
07	373.8	373.5
08	373	373
09	373	373
10	372	372
11	372	372
12	366	366
13	366	366
14	366	366
15	374	374
16	372	372
TOTAL	5945	5944.7
CALC.	5945/16	5944.7/16
AVG. ELEV.	371.56 FT	371.54 FT

CITY OF BELLEVUE LAND USE: BUILDING HEIGHT

R5 ZONING
BASIC HEIGHT ALLOWABLE: 35' PITCHED ROOF
(PER LUC 20.20.10)

AVG EXISTING GRADE: 371.54'
HIGHEST ROOF HEIGHT: 395.89'
BUILDING HEIGHT (DIFFERENCE): (395.89'-371.54')= 24.35'
COMPLIANT: YES, UNDER 20.20.740.3.b

371.54'
395.89'
24.35' < 35'
YES, UNDER 20.20.740.3.b

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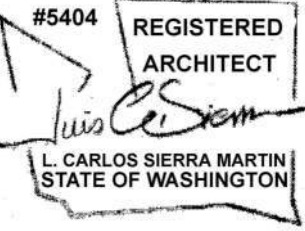
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BUILDING HEIGHT CALCULATIONS

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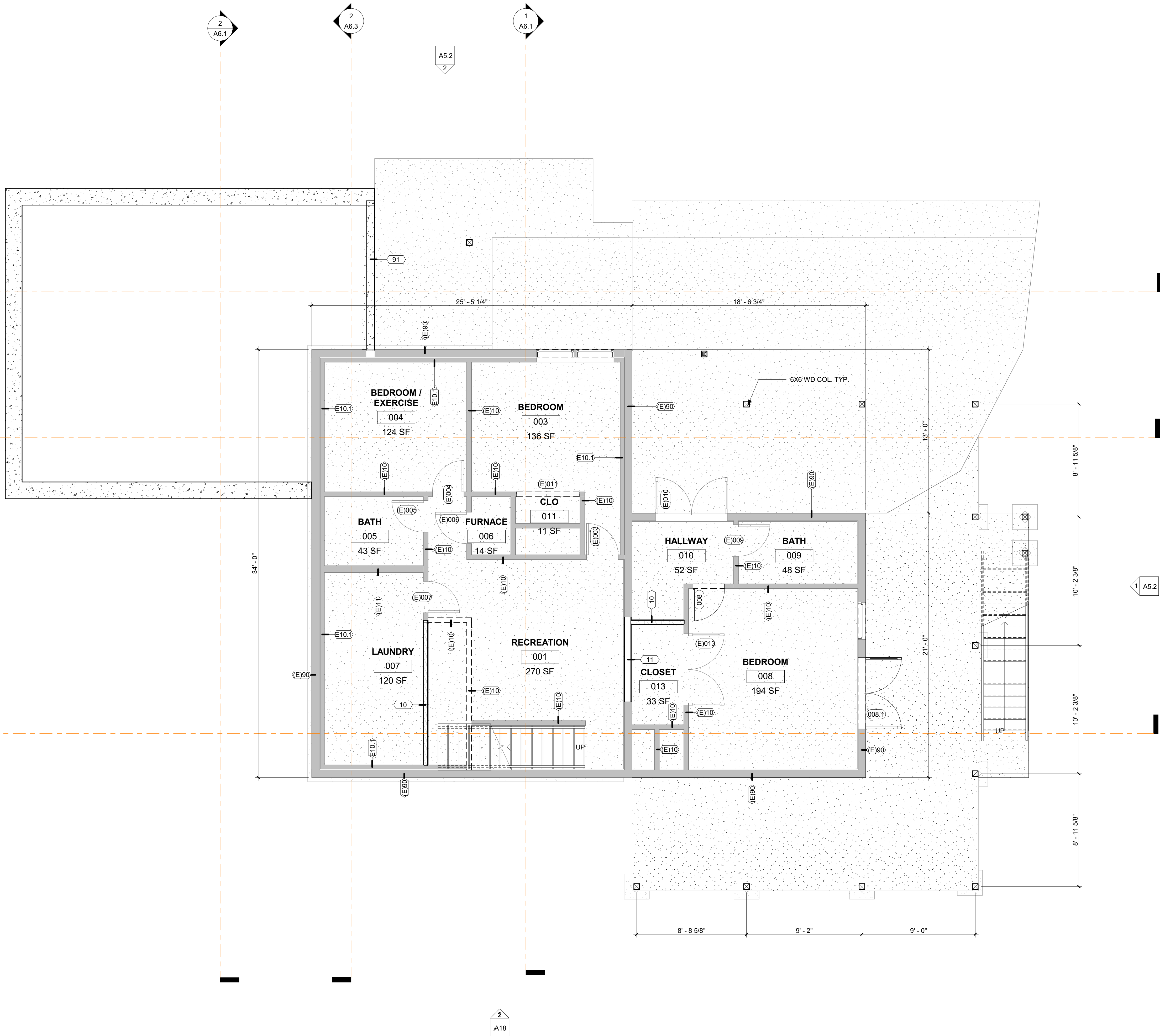
**LOWER FLOOR
PLAN**

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SCALE: 1/4" = 1'-0"

LAND USE SET

1 LOWER LEVEL PLAN
1/4" = 1'-0"



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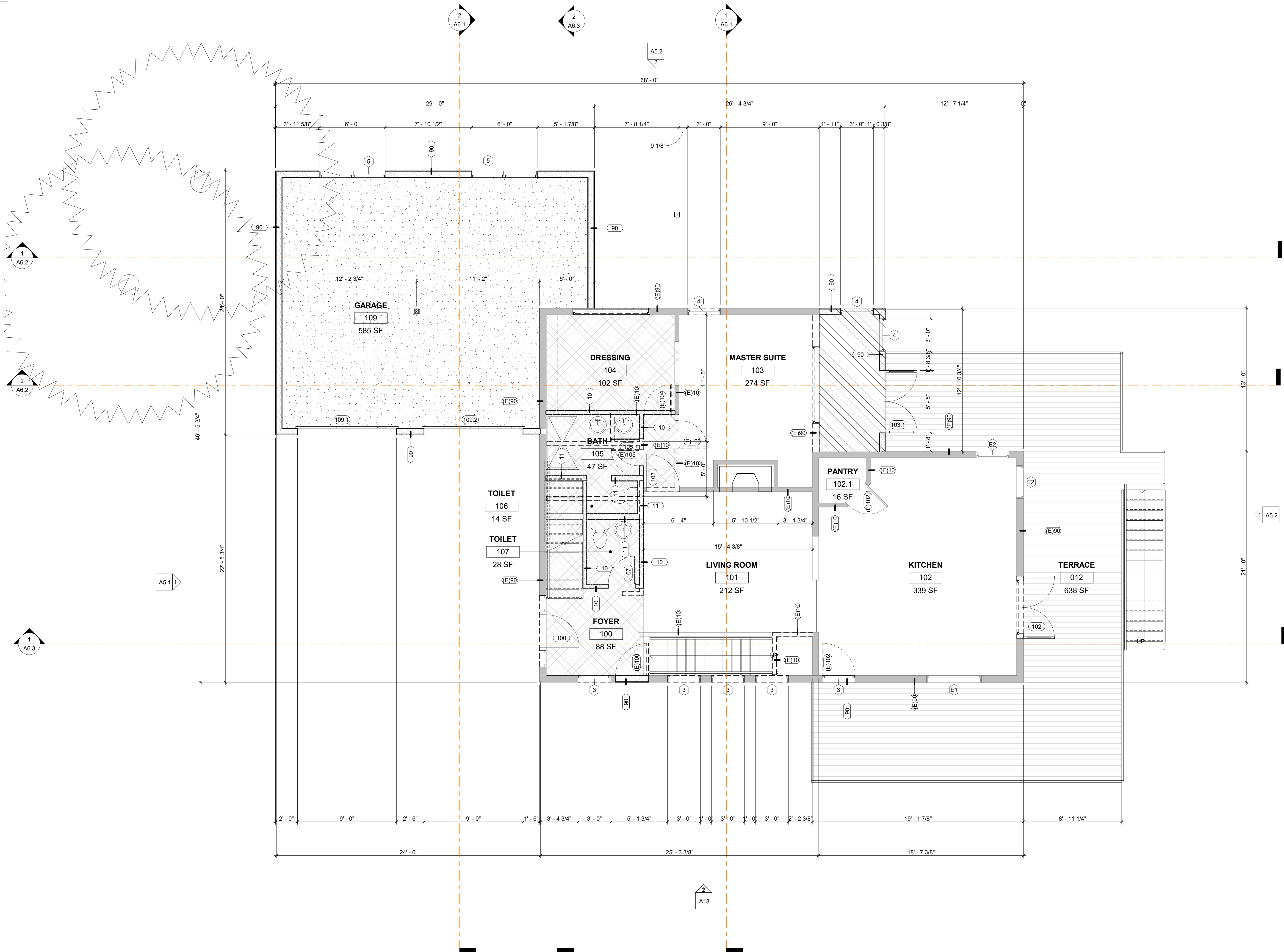
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**FIRST FLOOR
PLAN**

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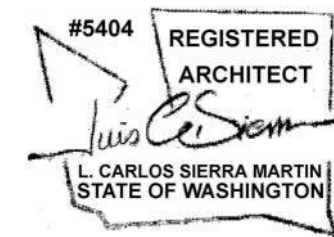
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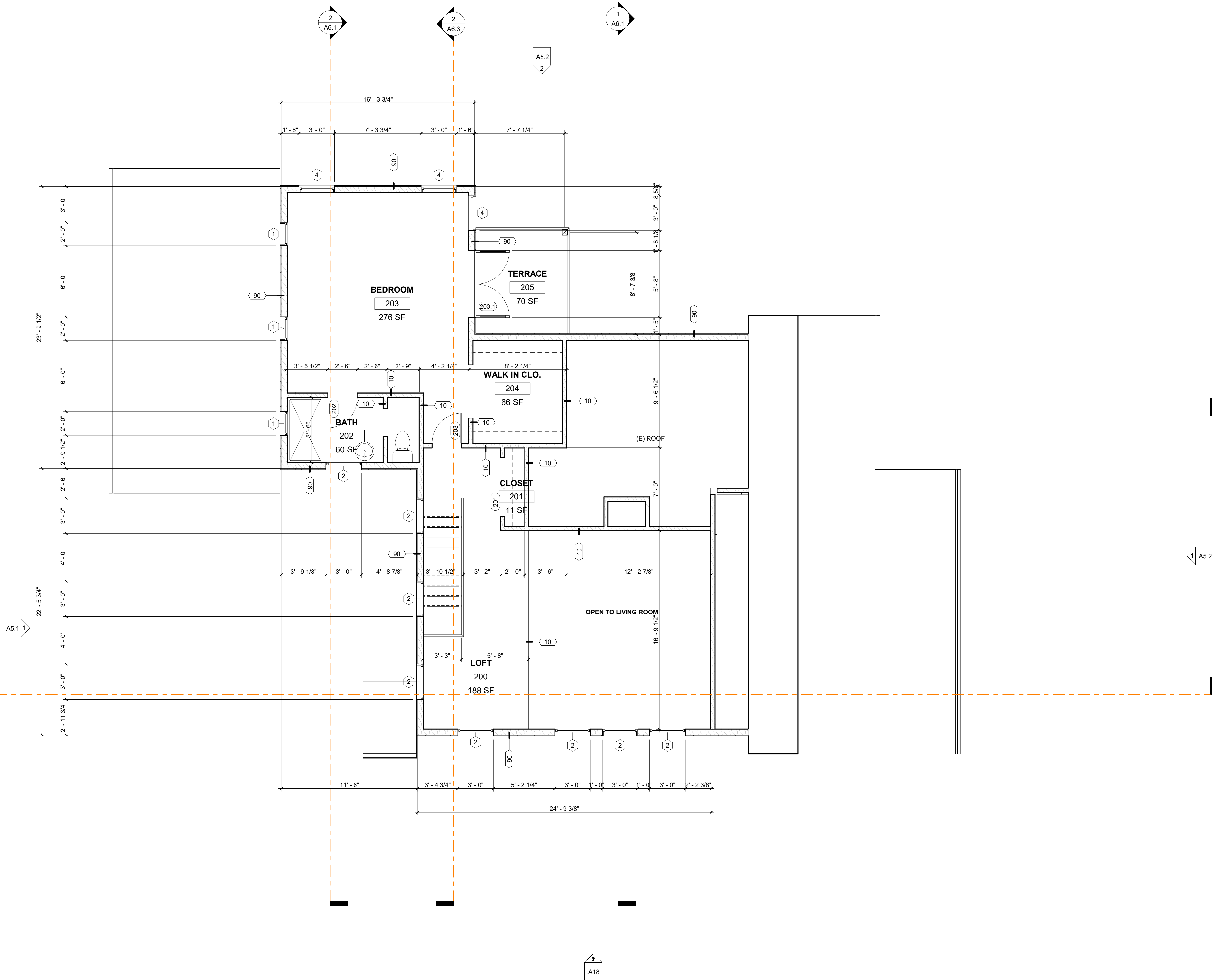
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**SECOND
FLOOR PLAN**

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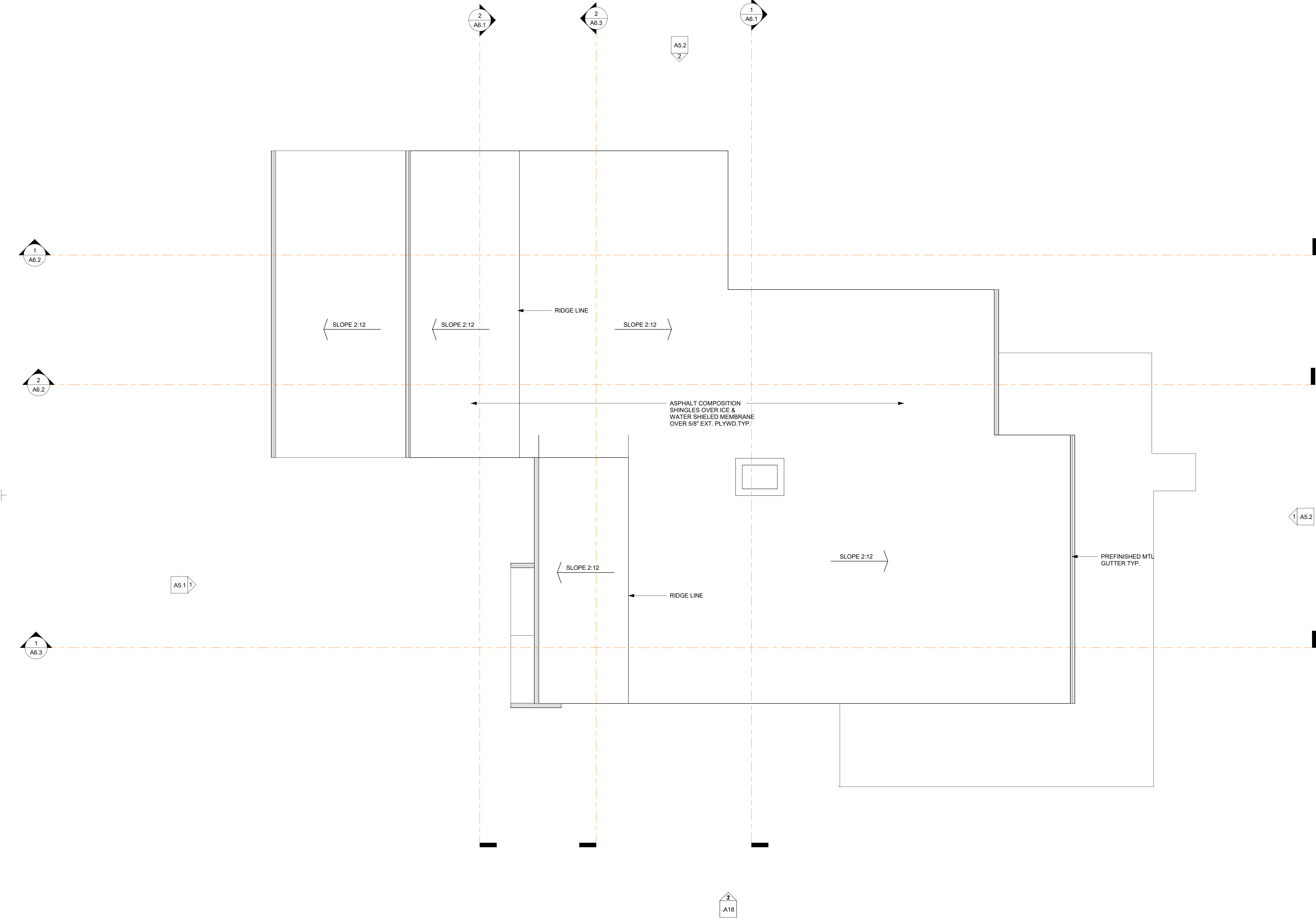
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① SECOND FLOOR
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1 ROOF PLAN
1/4" = 1'-0"

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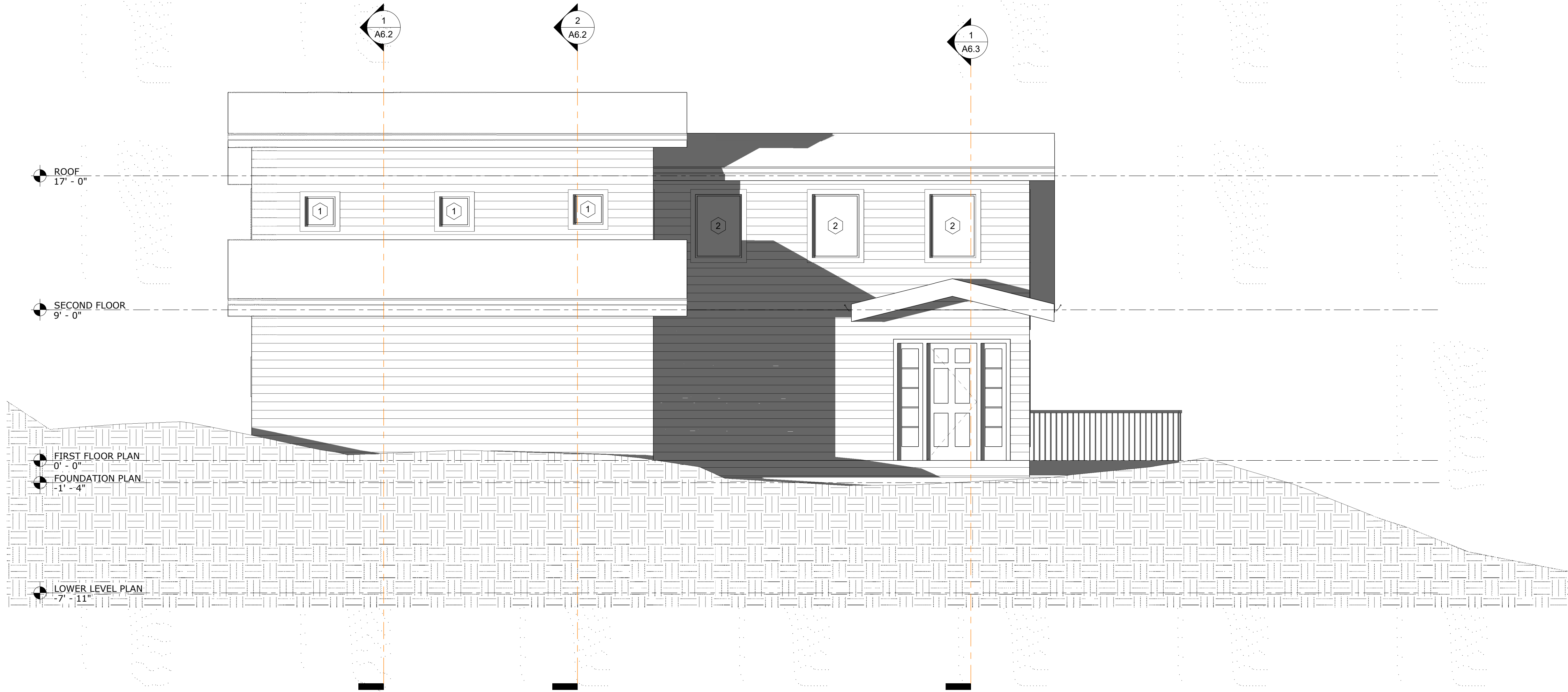
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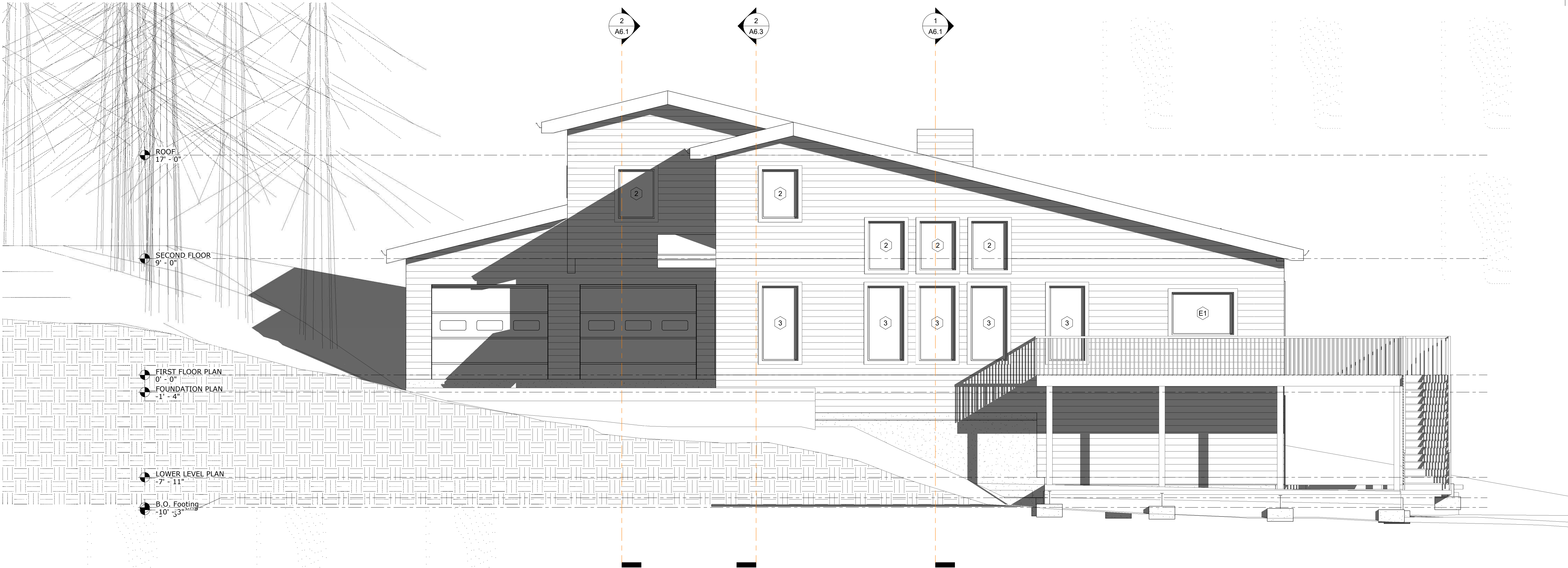
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① NORTH ELEVATION
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② WEST ELEVATION
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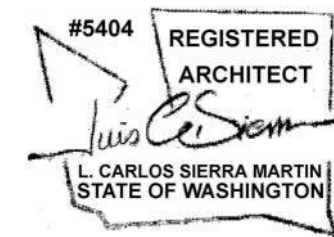
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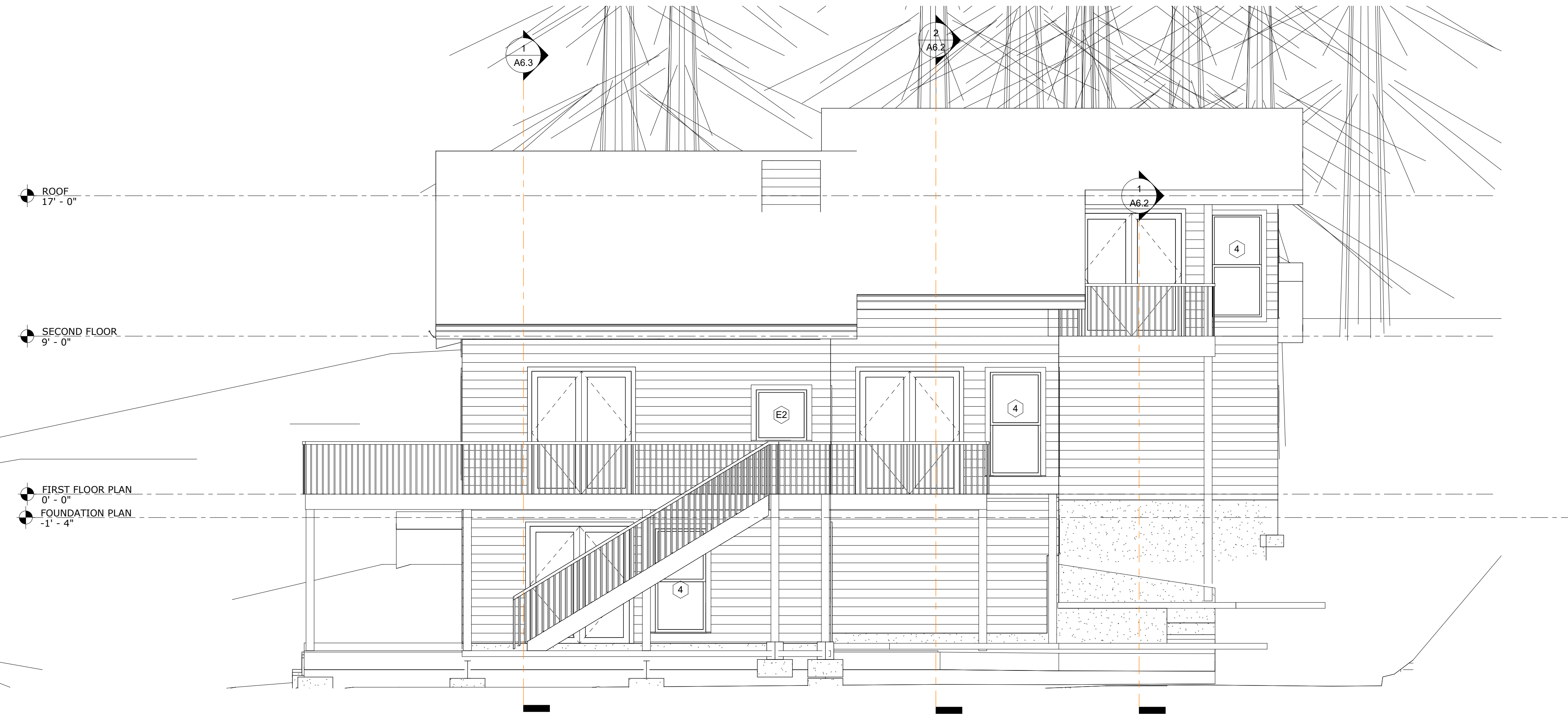
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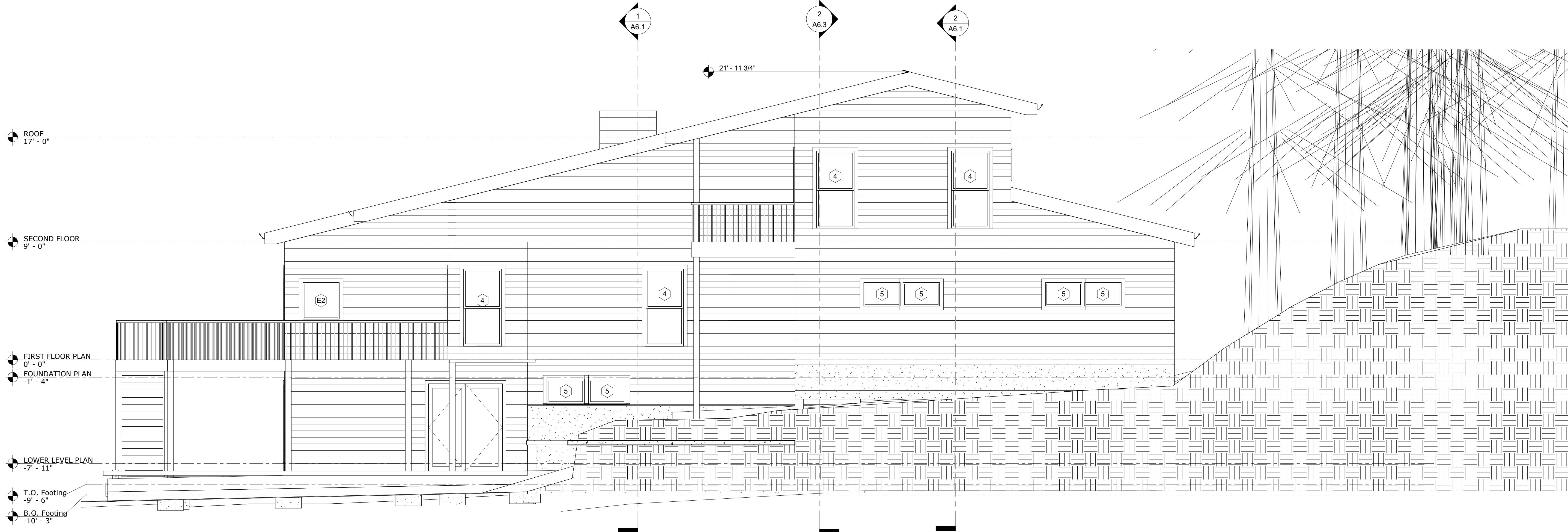
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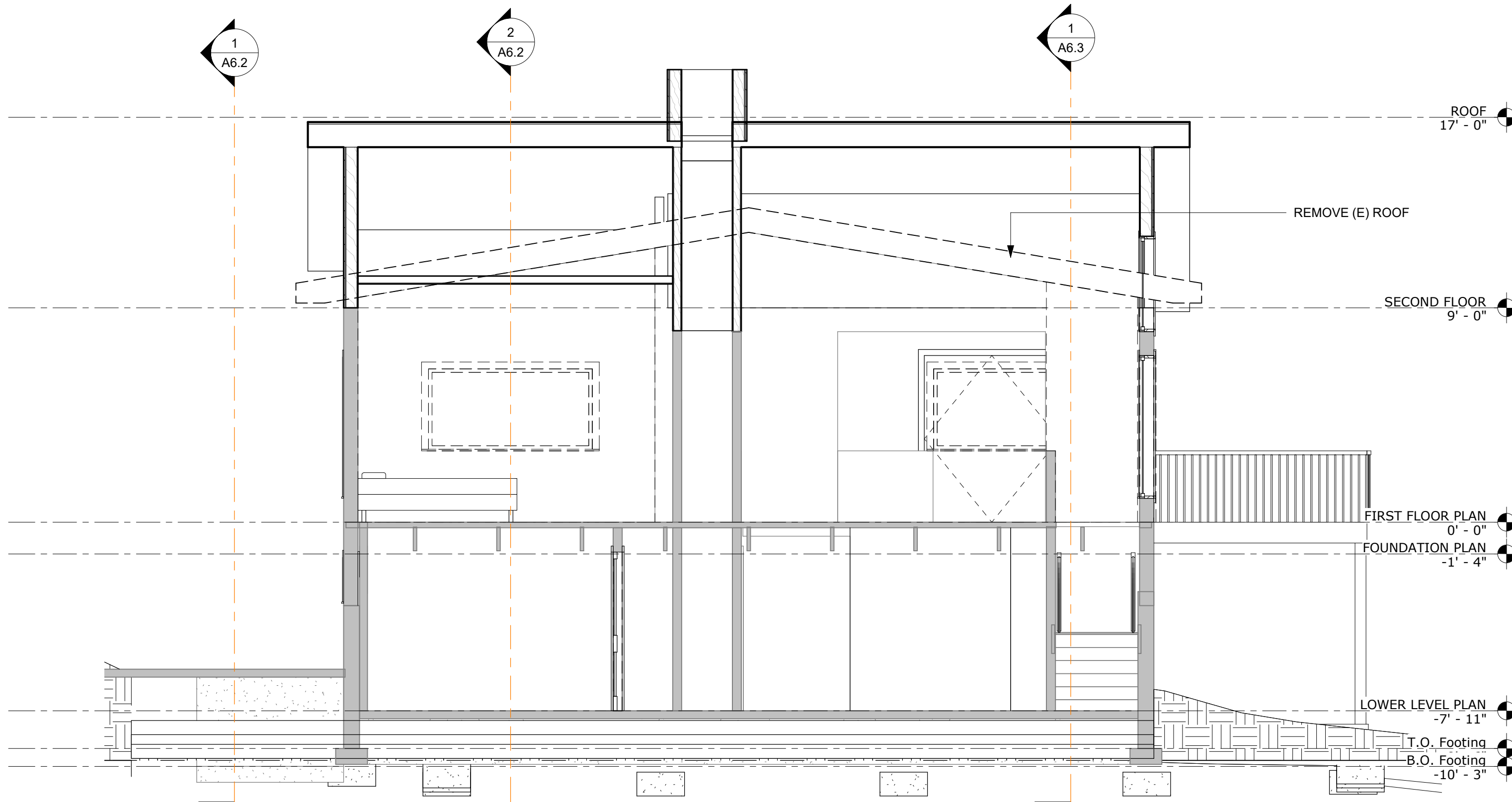
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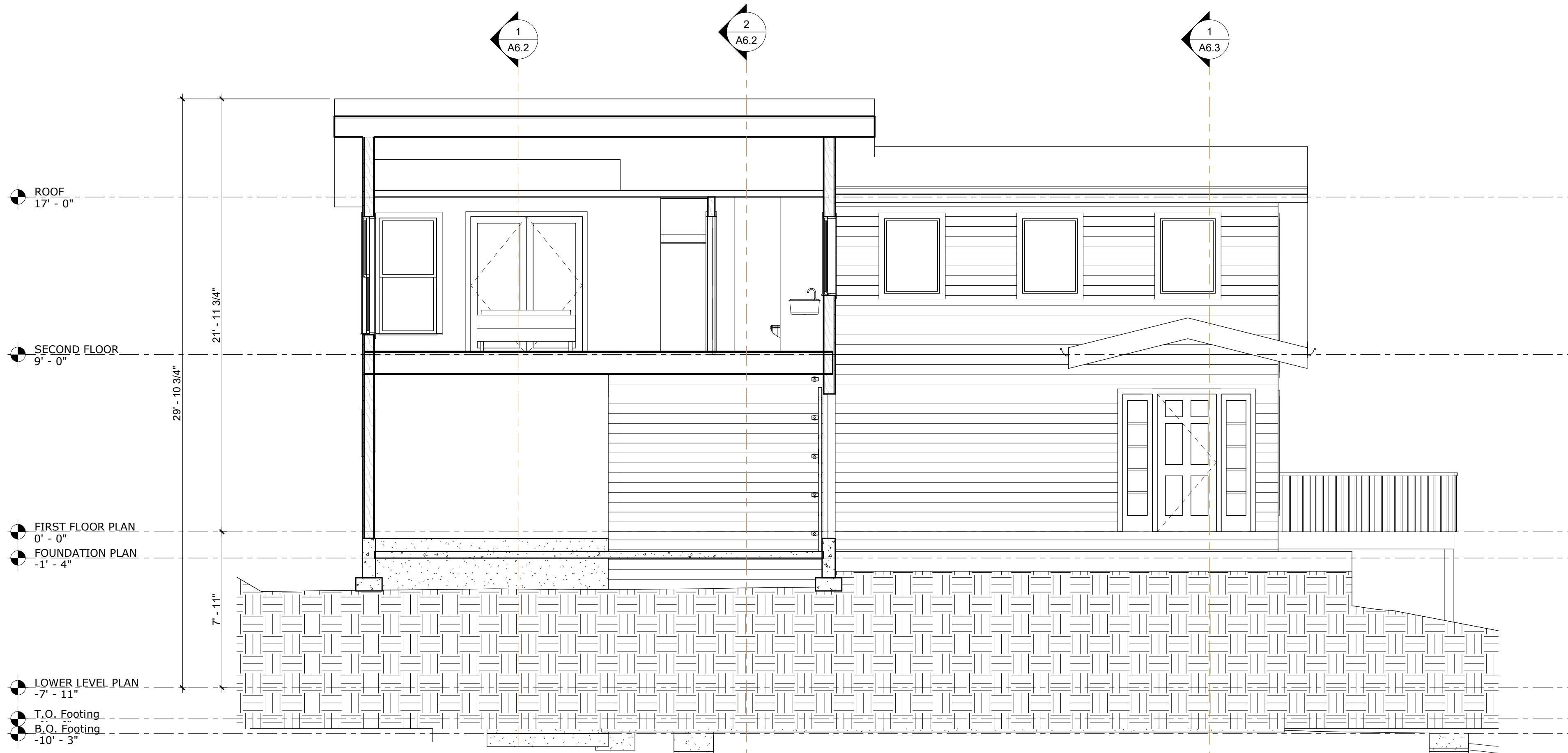
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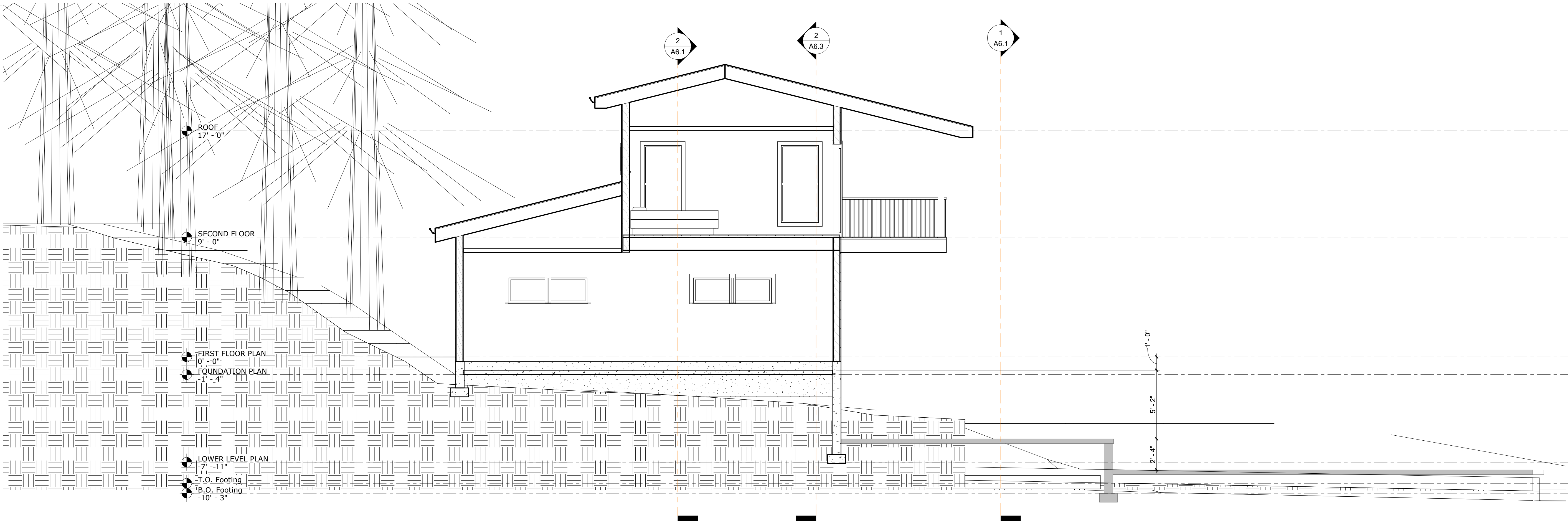


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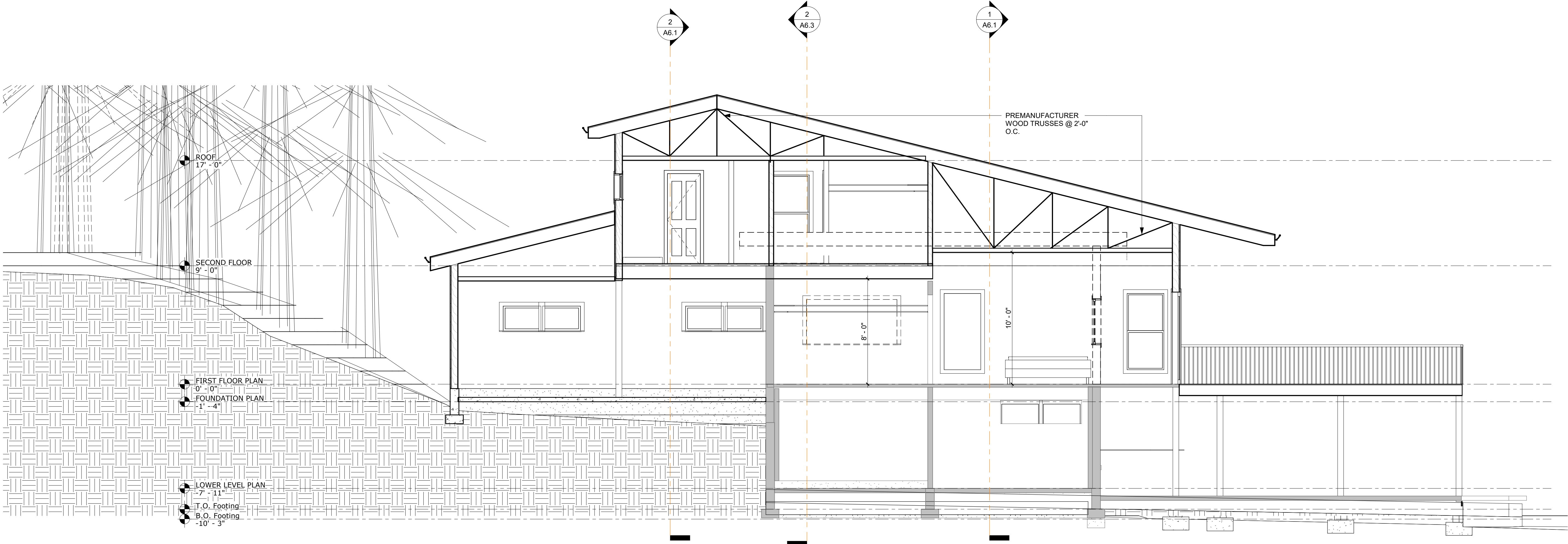


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LAND USE SET



1 BUILDING SECTION 4
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2 BUILDING SECTION 5
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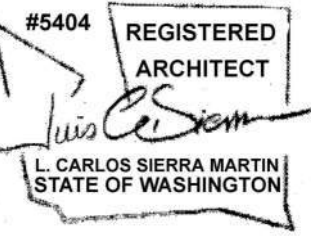
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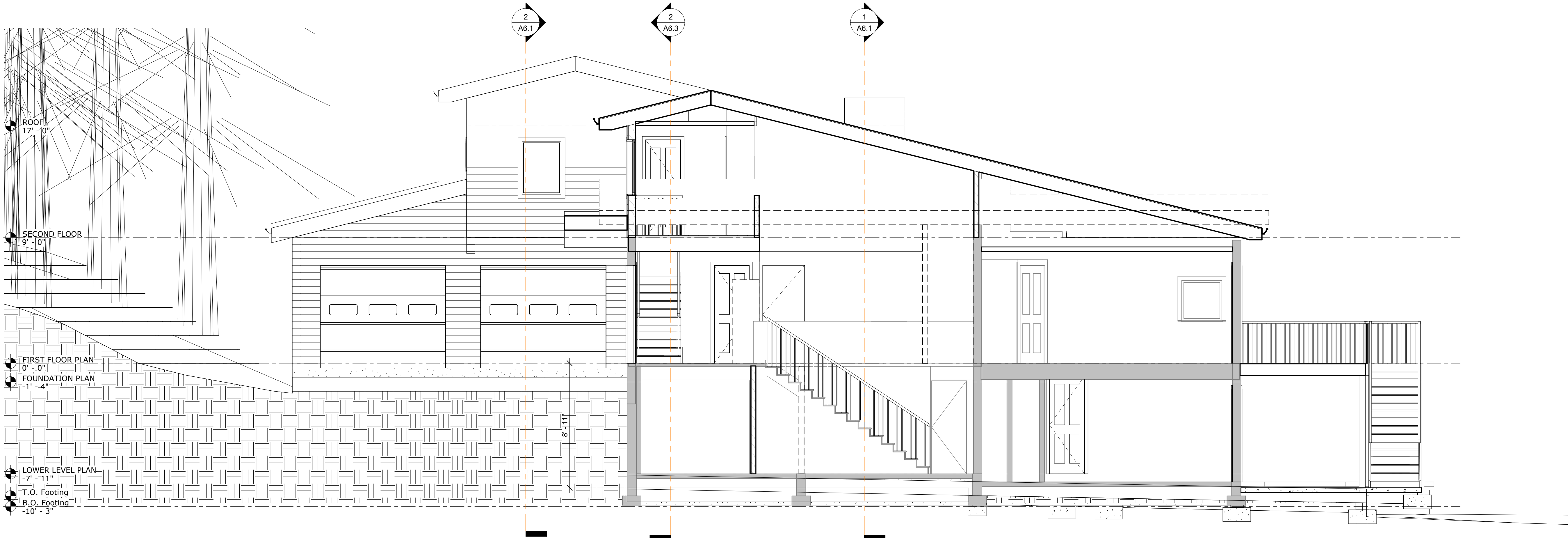
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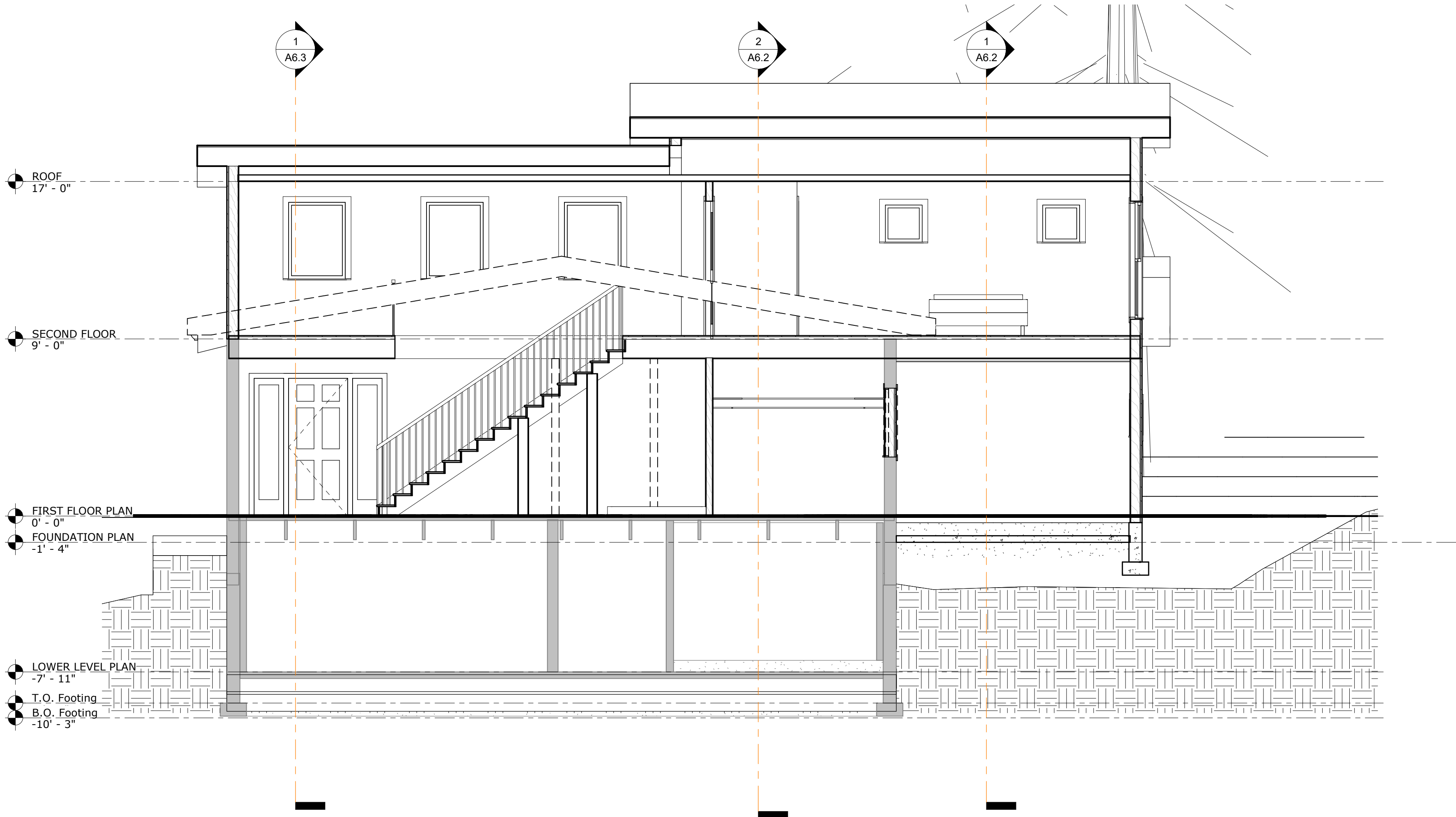
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① BUILDING SECTION 6
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② BUILDING SECTION 7
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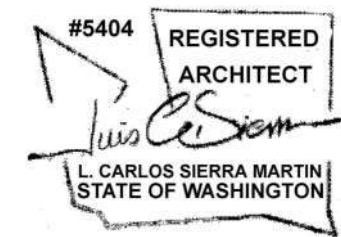
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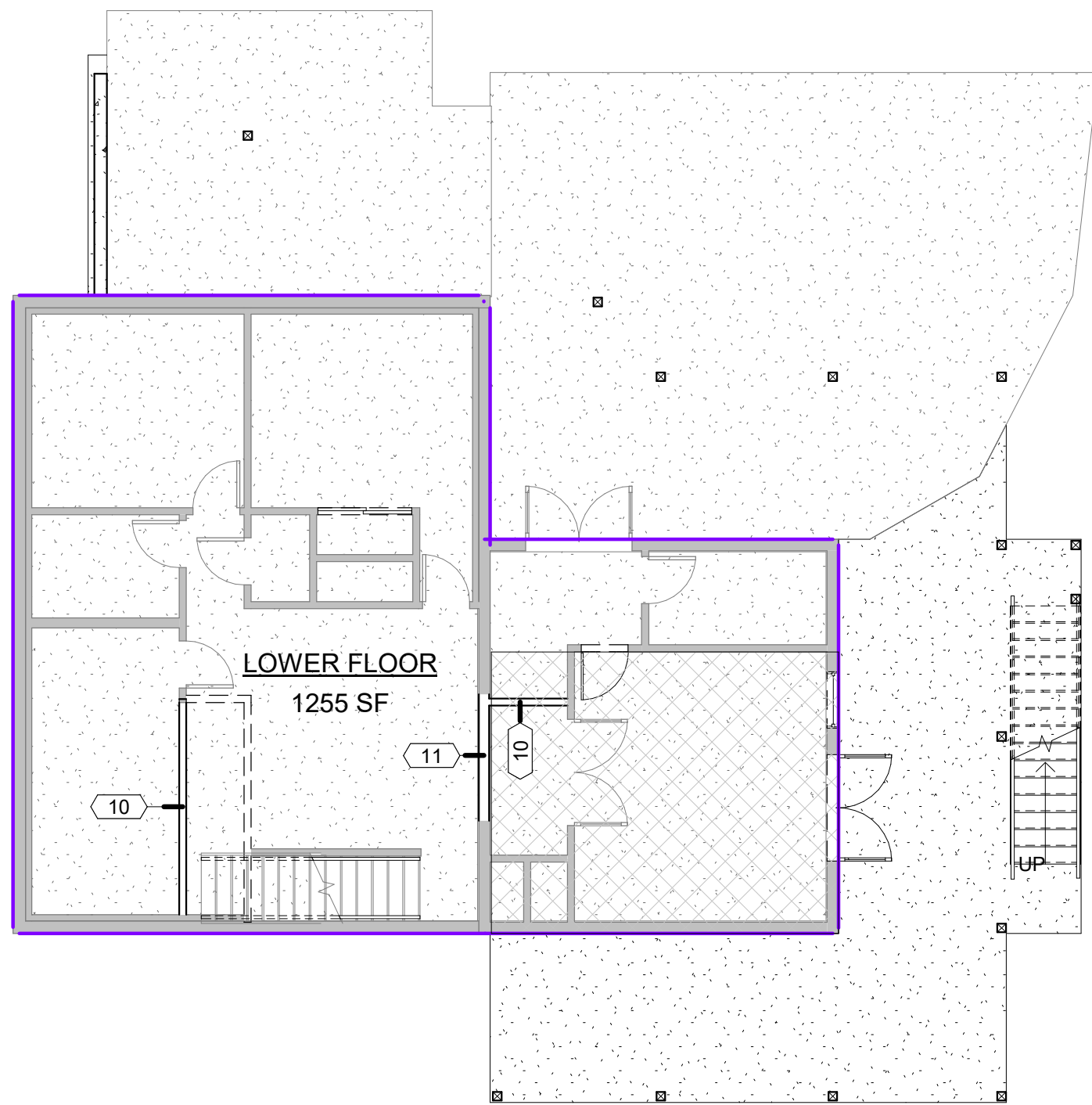
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(E)010	2	68" x 80"	WD					
(E)011	55	60" x 80"	WD					
(E)013	2	68" x 80"	WD					
(E)100	3	36" x 84"	WD					
(E)102	3	36" x 84"	WD					
(E)102.1	1	30" x 84"	WD					
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4	3' - 0"	6' - 0"	Double Hung with Trim					
5	3' - 0"	2' - 0"	Fixed with Trim					
6	7' - 0"	3' - 6"	Fixed with Trim					
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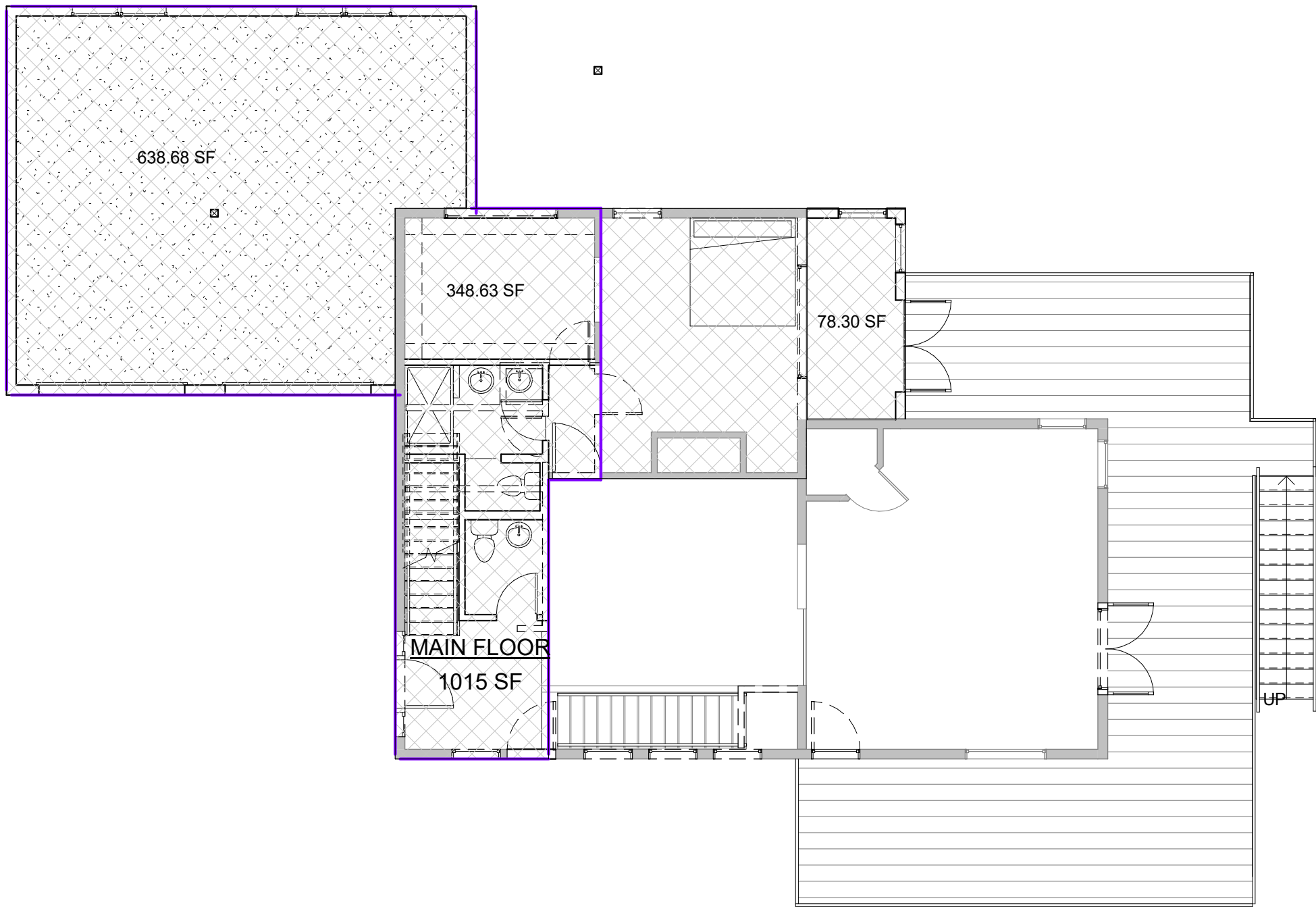
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103.1	4	68" x 84"	WD					
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107	1	30" x 84"	WD					
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202	1	30" x 84"	WD					
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203.1	4	68" x 84"	WD					

Room Finish Schedule							
Room Number	Room Name	Finish					Comments
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101	LIVING ROOM						
102	KITCHEN						
103	MASTER SUITE						
105	BATH						
100	FOYER						
107	TOILET						
108	CLO						
106	TOILET						
104	DRESSING						
004	BEDROOM / EXERCISE						
200	LOFT						
201	CLOSET						
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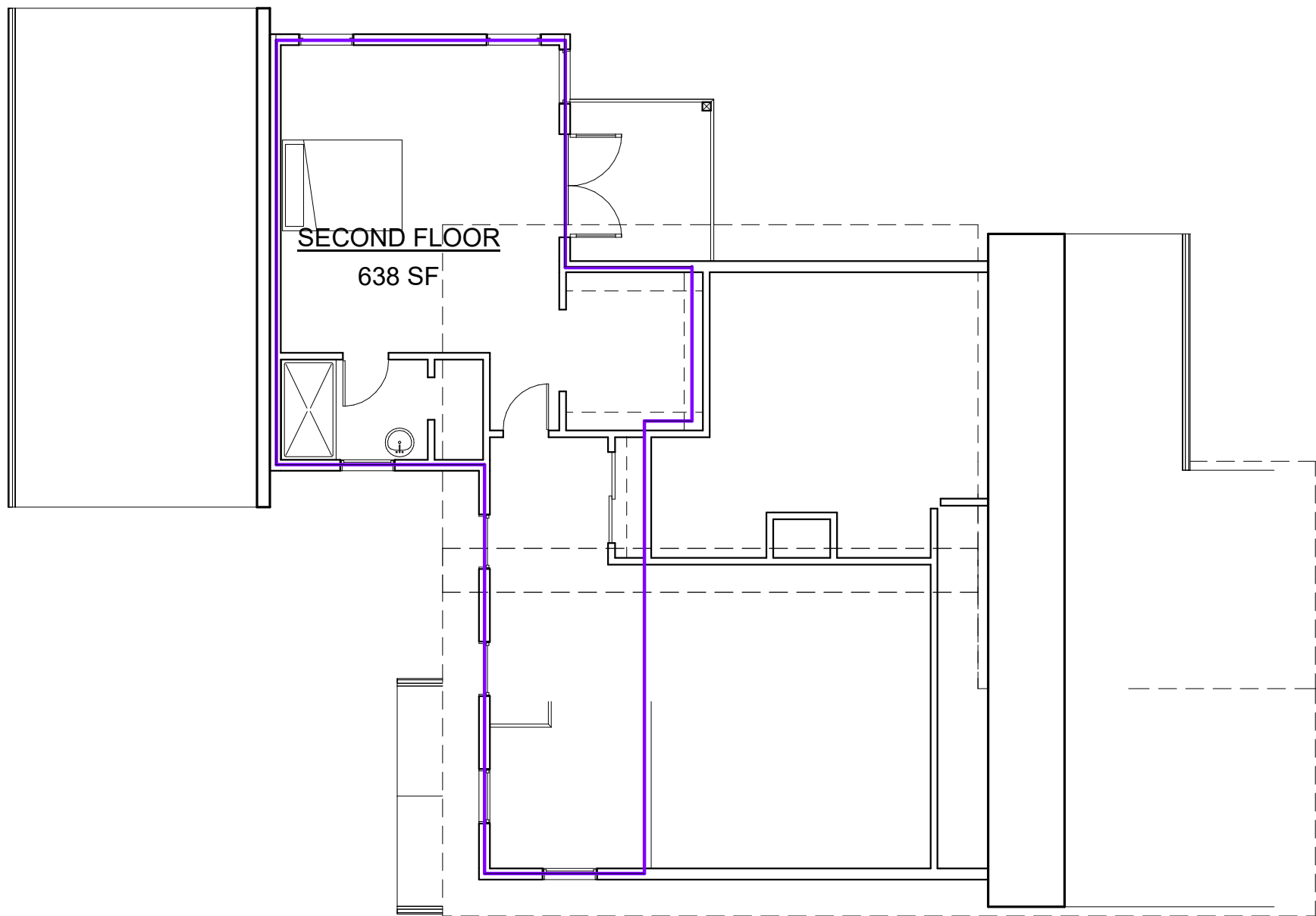
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2	MAIN FLOOR	1015 SF	Gross Building Area
3	SECOND FLOOR	638 SF	Gross Building Area



① LOWER LEVEL PLAN
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② FIRST FLOOR PLAN
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③ SECOND FLOOR
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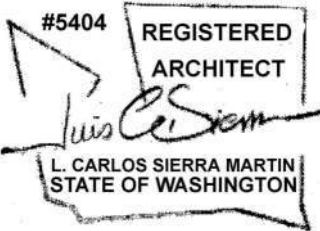
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SCHEDULES

A8.1

SCALE: 1/8" = 1'-0"

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INTERIOR
PERSPECTIVES

A11.1

SCALE:



2 LOOKING SOUTH FROM MAIN FLOOR
ENTRANCE



1 LOOKING NORTH FROM MAIN FLOOR

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① LOOKING SOUTH FROM SECOND FLOOR

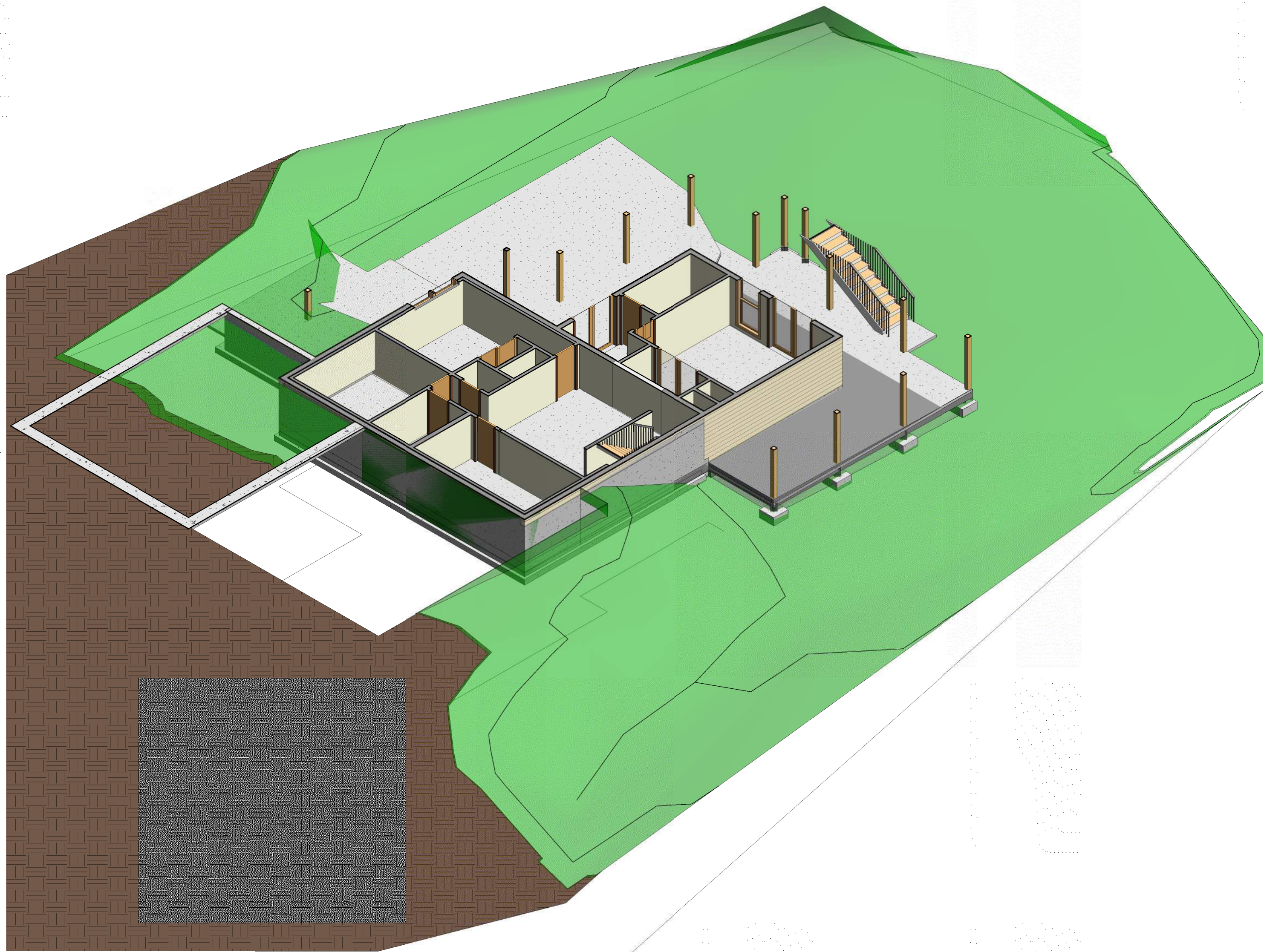


② LOOKING EAST FROM SECOND FLOOR

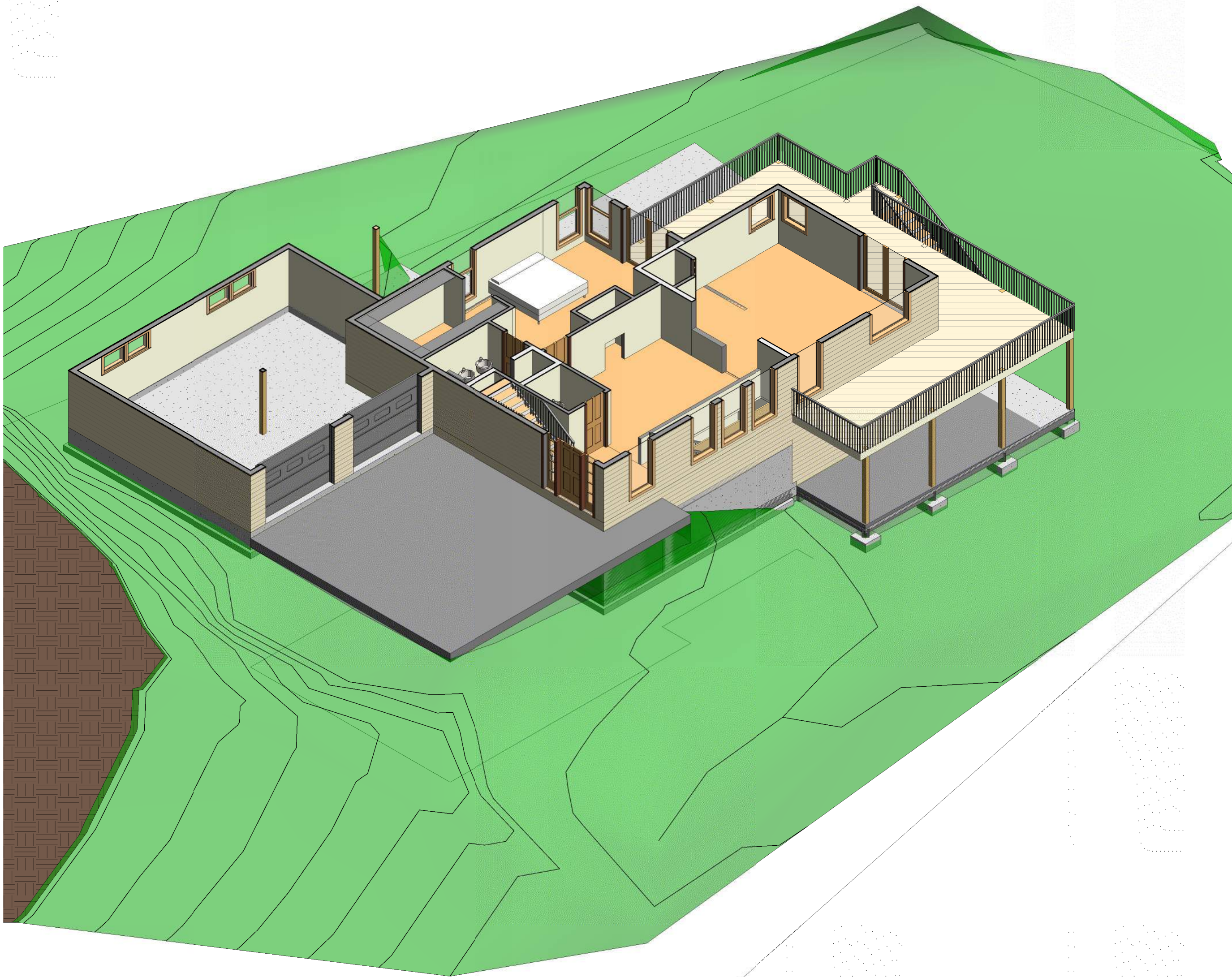


④ LOFT LOOKING INTO BEDROOM DOOR

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① Lower axon



② Main axon

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SCALE:

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① Perspective 1



② Second Floor

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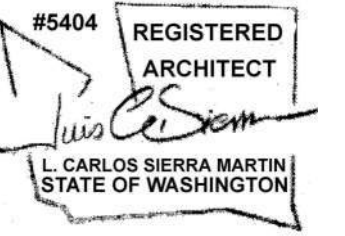
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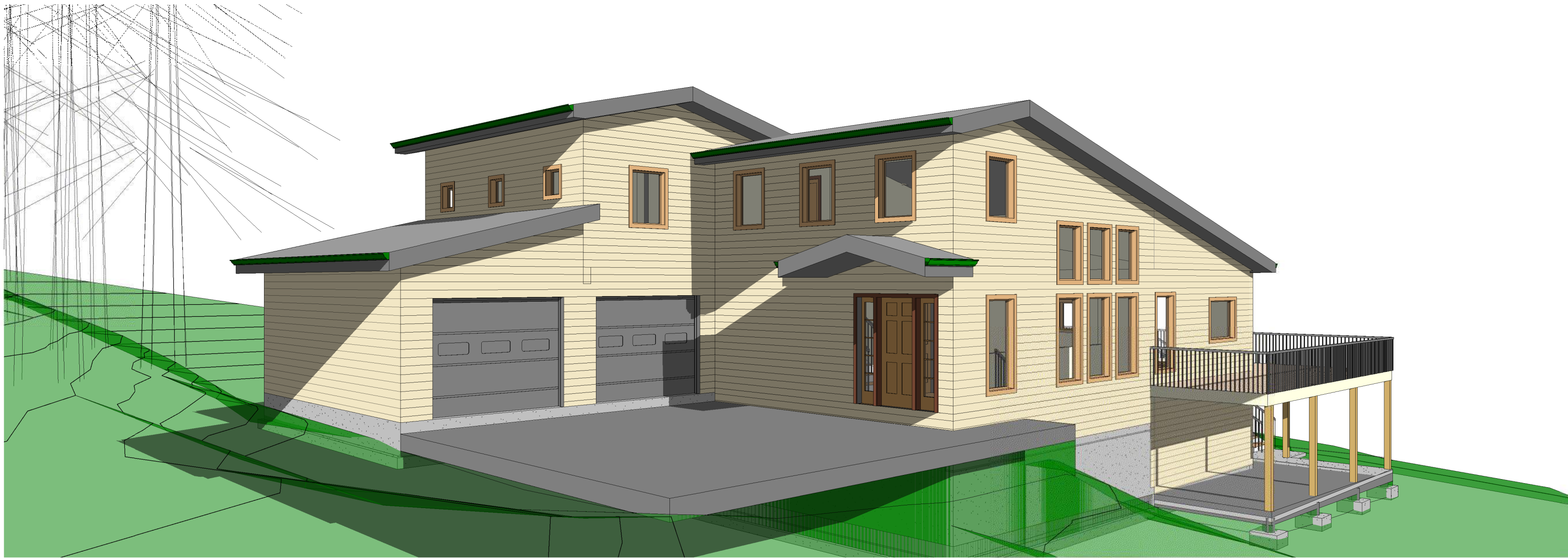
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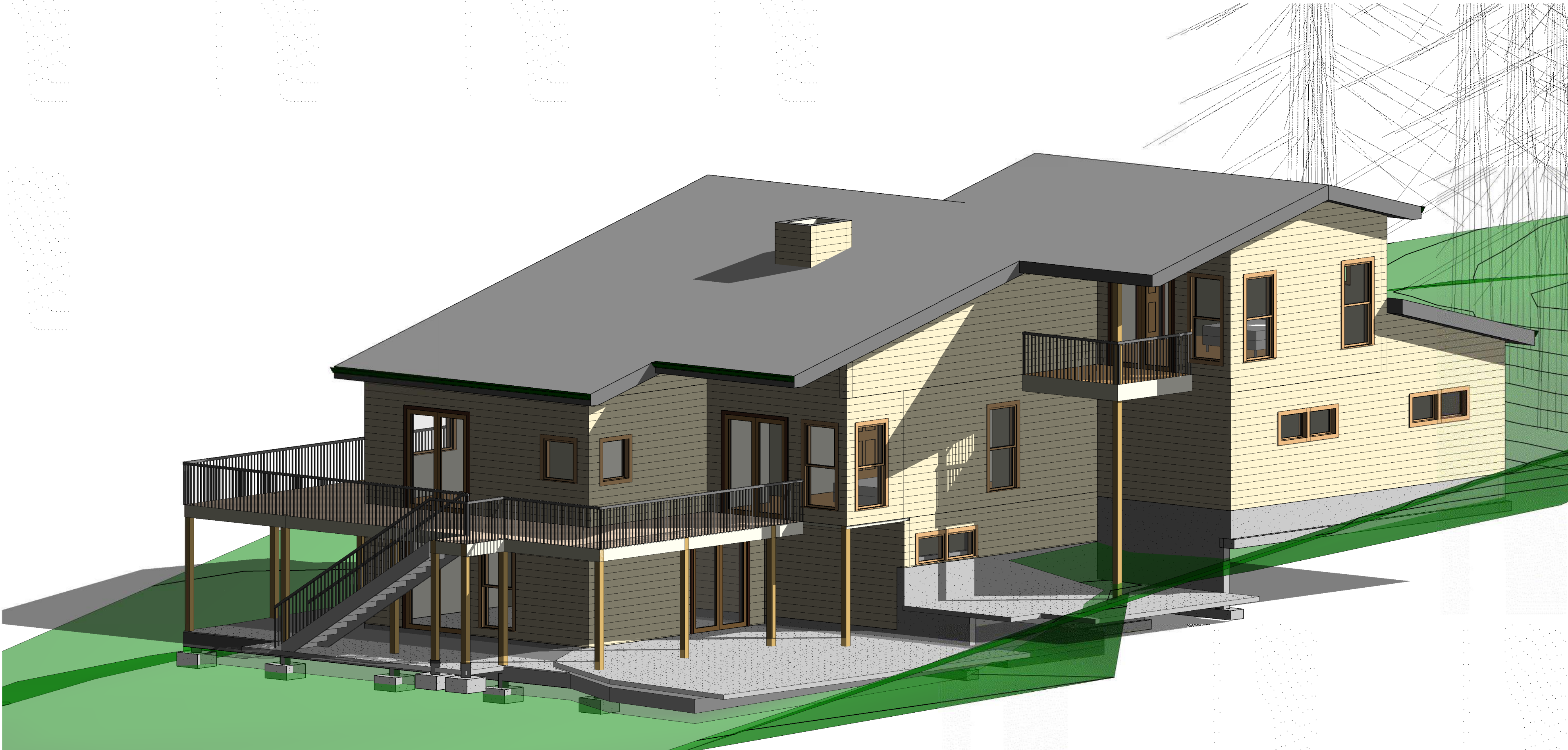
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LAND USE SET



① Perspective From Northwest



② Perspective From Southeast

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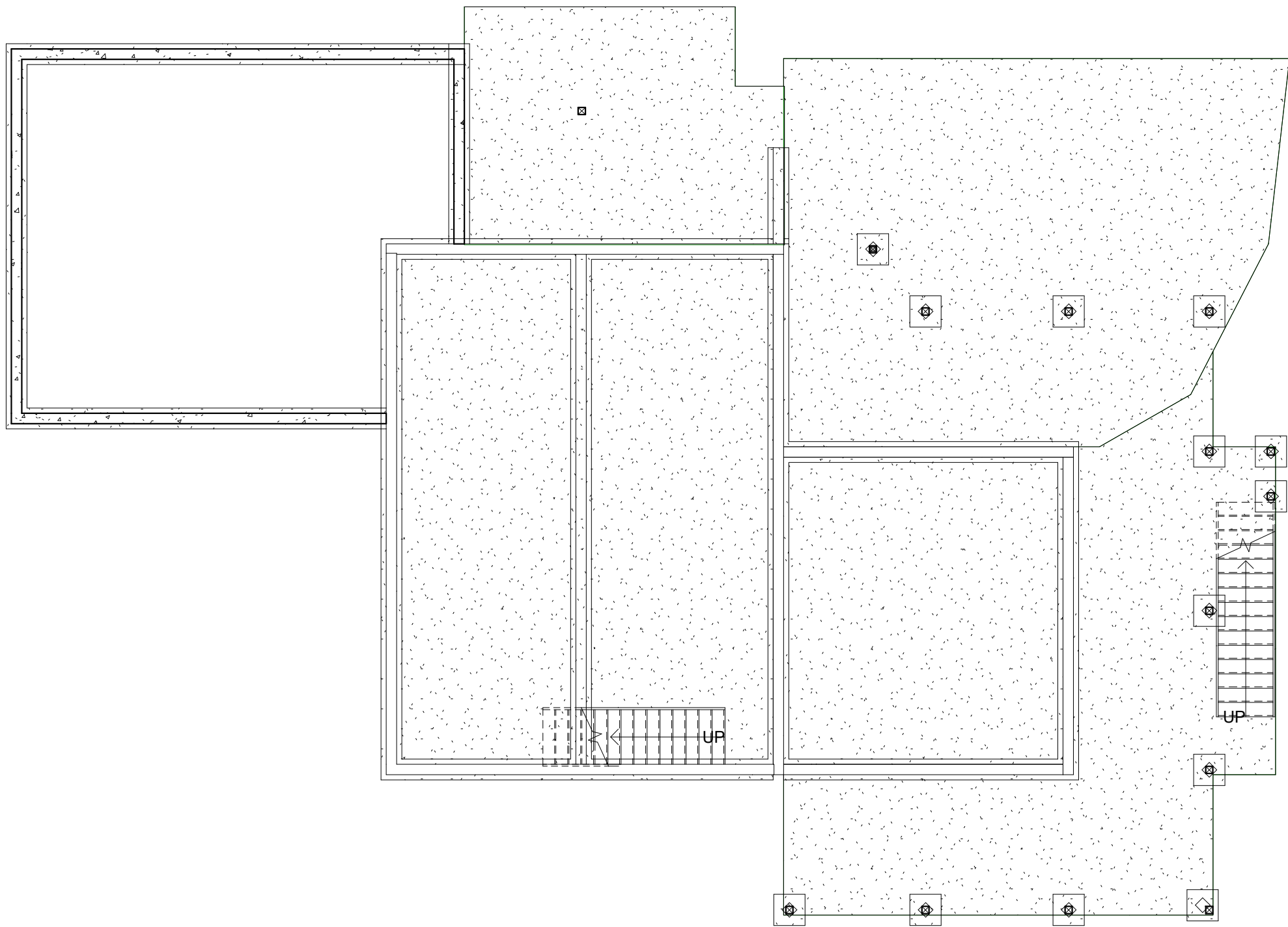
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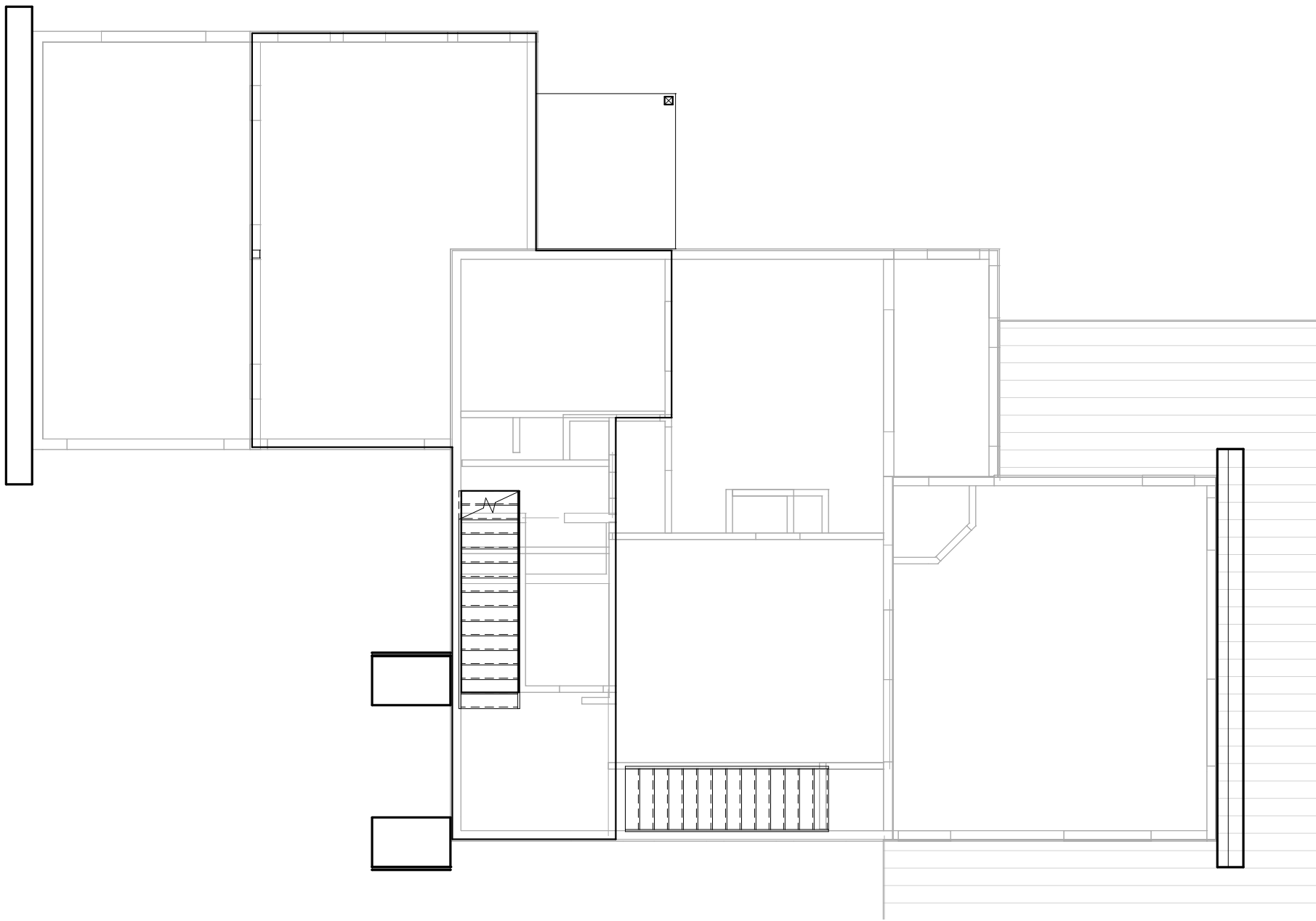
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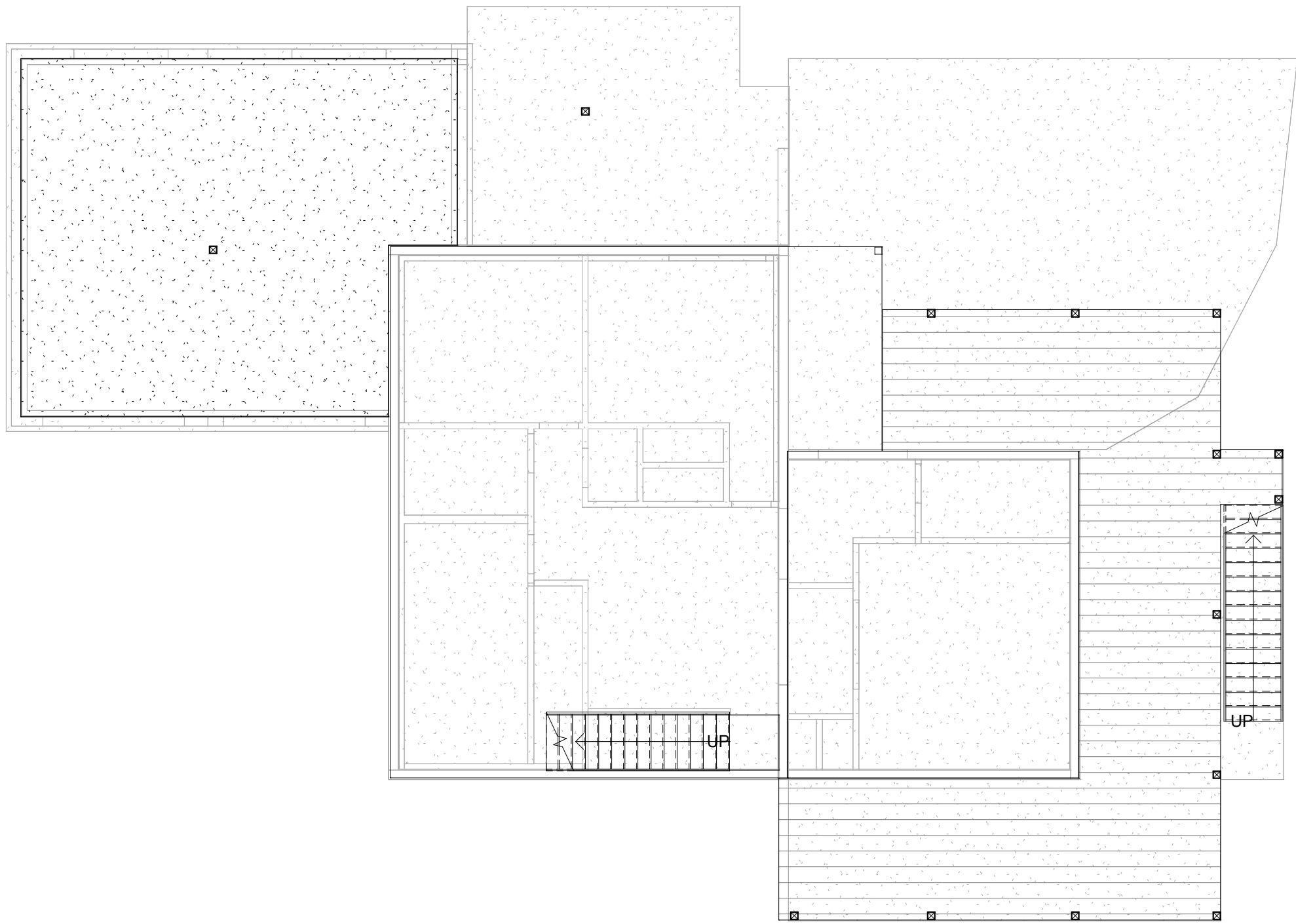
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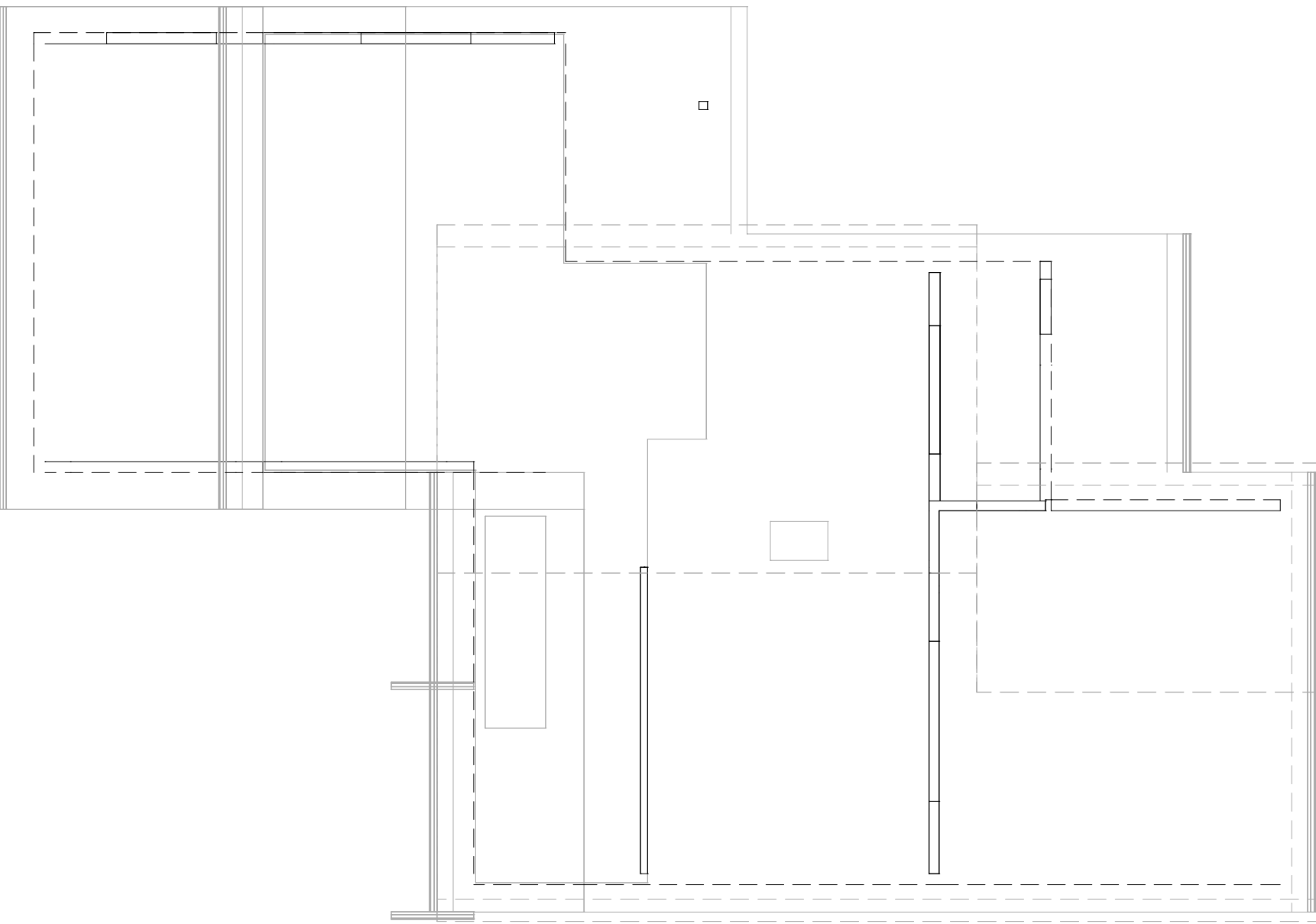
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② SECOND FLOOR FRAMING PLAN
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④ ROOF FRAMING PLAN
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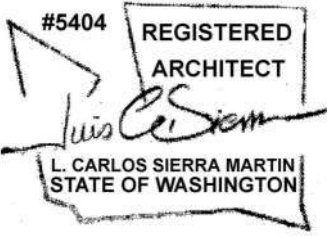
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FOUNDATION & FRAMING PLANS

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LAND USE SET

DeVita Residence

3835 139th Place SE Bellevue WA 98006

April 5, 2021



Sierra Martin Architects have been hired by the DeVita's to design a new garage and minor remodel of their existing house located at 3835 139th Place SE Bellevue WA 98004.

The purpose of this memo is to request a front yard variance and critical area buffer modification. Attached you will see two architectural proposals. One for a single-story development and a second for a second story addition. Both include a new two-car garage.

The property is an R-5 zoning with the following setbacks requirements: Front 20 feet, side yards 5 feet rear yard 20 feet. The building maximum height cannot be more than 35 feet to the ridge of a pitched roof from the average existing grade and the lot coverage cannot exceed 40%.

The entry to the property is by means of driveway from 139th PL SE descending approximately 8 feet from the street. The existing house has a carport and a parking space adjacent to it as shown in the attached survey plan of the property.

The existing 139th PL SE roadway intersects with 140th AVE SE and SE 38th street. The property is approximately 40 degrees from the north orientation along a northwest to southeast axis. Along the north east property boundary facing the street the existing topography according with the survey and City GIS mapping includes a steep slope. The property is surrounded by old existing fir trees, particularly at the north east steep slope where an existing fire hydrant, water meter, and power pole with overhead lines running north are located.

The original house was constructed in 1955 and it is our understanding that this portion of the city was annexed from King County in 2012. By reviewing the survey, we can see that a 30 foot Right of Way was created by King county by setting the north east property line parallel to the center alignment of 139th PL SE. We also notice that the road was constructed following the King County standards at the time of development and now consists of a street with vertical curbs occupying about 16 feet of the Right of Way at the Northernmost corner of the DeVita's property, allowing for future additions such as landscape strips and sidewalks to be provided in the remaining 14 feet.

Along the northeast property line, we noticed that the road was constructed to avoid the steep slope and manage a slightly mis-aligned four-way intersection. The existing space between the street curbs and the northeast property line grows much larger than the city standard as it continues southeast due to the steep slope and curve of the road approaching the intersection, up to a maximum of 37 feet. The road is also significantly higher than the DeVita's property rising from approximately 6 feet above their house floor level at the driveway to over 12 feet above it at the east corner of the lot.

It is clear to us that the original street centerline layout did not anticipated the steep slope and therefore, during construction, the road curve was built at a more natural alignment to avoid the steep slope and make the angle of the intersection at 139th PL SE and 140th Ave SE less acute for functional and safety reasons. In addition, we notice that the present location of the fire hydrant, water meter and power pole appear to be aligned along a straight line that does not follows the curb layout. The existing fire hydrant is at the top of the slope, the water meter is part way into the middle of the slope, and the power pole by PSE is located away from the northeast corner of the DeVita's property. The way the road was constructed makes sense to us to maintain the safety of the neighbors. We understand and anticipate that in the future a new landscape strip and sidewalk may be constructed. Such sidewalk will need to be built per City of Bellevue standards.

We realize the city has the right to use the entire right of way adjacent to the DeVita's residence. If the City in the future would like to widen the road by moving the existing curb closer to the DeVita's property, such proposition will require the city to build a retaining wall at least 8 feet tall, relocate the fire hydrant and water meter, and remove roughly 6 old growth fir trees. Building the sidewalk in a straight line would have similar impacts. This proposition will be very expensive to the city and the community not to mention decreasing the DeVita's property assessed value.

We believe it is much more likely that the city would decide in the future to build the sidewalk following the existing curb layout along 139th Pl SE, away from the northeast property line of the DeVita's lot. Since this preserves the existing fire hydrant, water meter, power pole and overhead lines, and mature trees at their present location this option would be the best for the character of the neighborhood.

The existing hydrant, meter, and overhead power and telecommunications lines also require maintenance access. The power pole is the closest of these three items to the DeVita's property resting approximately 9 ½ feet NE of the east corner of their lot. The overhead lines run almost due north to the next pole on 140 Ave SE and are never closer to the DeVita's property than at the pole location.

We are sharing these thoughts with you because we believe in this unique context present an opportunity to find the best solution if we collaborate and work together.

We believe the existing steep slope and mature trees should be preserved and partially enhanced. The DeVita's would like to build a two-car garage to enhance the function and value of their property. Several of the neighboring properties also have this amenity. To build such a garage, it will be required to reduce the 20 feet front setback to 6 feet as shown in the attached site plan. However, due to the unique context this construction would still be more than 20' from the water meter and the likely position of the back of any future sidewalk it would also be at least 18 feet from the power pole to nearest corner of the structure. Effectively, the 20 foot front yard setback would still be maintained due to the unique configuration of the road and right of way in front of the DeVita's property. The garage floor will also be 11 feet below the road level at its north corner so that the roof would barely reach the elevation of the road and will be screened from the street the mature trees, all of which would be maintained.

Therefore, we are asking for a front yard variance. We believe this variance would not affect the future development of the road or other city uses and interests in the Right of Way. Protecting the existing slope and trees would be a win-win to both parties to preserve the character of the neighborhood, the value of the property, and presents the least cost to the city if in the future it decides to widen the road.

A full breakdown of this variance request in relation to the Land Use Code critical areas and standard setback requirements is included below.

This request will improve the property value, maintain the natural character to the slope in front of the property, and allow the city to maintain the current uses and future options within the Right of Way.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Carlos Sierra". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a horizontal line extending to the left.

Carlos Sierra
Sierra Martin Architects PLLC, Member/ Owner

20.30G.120 Purpose.

A variance is a mechanism by which the City may grant relief from the provisions of the Land Use Code where practical difficulty renders compliance with the provisions of that Code an unnecessary hardship, where the hardship is a result of the physical characteristics of the subject property and where the purpose of that Code and of the Comprehensive Plan can be fulfilled.

20.30G.140 Decision criteria.

Decision criteria.

The Director may approve or approve with modifications an application for a variance from the provisions of the Land Use Code **if:**

A. General.

1. The variance will not constitute a grant of special privilege inconsistent with the limitation upon uses of other properties in the vicinity and land use district of the subject property; and

We are requesting to modify the 75 feet structure set back buffer for steep slope critical area (75 feet required). We are also requesting a variance to reduce of the 20 feet front yard setback.

We believe our proposal will not constitute a grant of special privilege inconsistent with the limitation upon uses of other properties in the vicinity and land use district of the subject property because the two-car garage proposal is consistent with all the neighborhood houses which contain and were developed and continued to be given the privilege to the new developers of constructing a two-car garage.

We also believe the steep slope is within the right way of the city. We believe widening the road will need a major retaining wall at our client's property creating more aesthetics problems not to mention being a very expensive solution. The present stable natural steep slope creates an aesthetic transition from the road to the property that we believe should be preserved because the present traffic flow appears to have worked for many years in this intersection.

2. The variance is necessary because of special circumstances relating to the size, shape, topography, location or surroundings of the subject property to provide it with use rights and privileges permitted to other properties in the vicinity and in the land use district of the subject property; and

We believe the request for a variance on this property is necessary because of special circumstances related to the size, shape, and topography, location or surroundings of subject property to provide it with the use rights and privileges permitted to other properties in the vicinity and in the land use district of subject property is consistent with the developments on similar single project residence in the same neighborhood for the following reasons:

1. **The existing property is the existing house is almost completely within the 75' toe of slope setback.**
2. **The two-car garage is within "the use rights and privileges permitted to other properties in the vicinity and in the land used district of the subject property". Many residences and properties built in this neighborhood have a two-car garage. Some newly developed sites approved by the city have three car garages. We find not allowing our client to build a two-car garage will restrict the use rights and privileges given to their neighbors by the city of Bellevue.**
3. **We understand that a geotechnical report will help the Director to determine if the variance structure setback can be granted. In the materials attached to this application you will see the proposed two car garage does not disturb the toe of the steep slope (as part of Critical Area). You will also note that the lower 4 feet of the new garage wall can easily be constructed as a concrete retaining wall to help stabilize the slope and protect the structure.**

3. The granting of the variance will not be materially detrimental to property or improvements in the immediate vicinity of the subject property; and

1. **We also requesting for the variance to be granted to our client because it will not "be materially detrimental to the property or improvements in the immediate vicinity of subject property." Because the two-car garage addition is not affecting the integrity of either properties to the east and west of our client's property, and such addition will not be materially detrimental our clients' neighbors.**
2. **The garage roof line will be below a driver's or pedestrian's eye level as you can see in the sections attached.**

4. The variance is not inconsistent with the Comprehensive Plan; and

1. **A single family function is consistent with the comprehensive plan for this site and improvements like a two car garage are consistent with neighboring single family uses.**

B. Additional Decision Criteria – Variances from Provisions of Part 20.25H LUC.

1. A variance to the requirements of Part 20.25H LUC may be granted only if the applicant demonstrates that a variance

from other provisions of the LUC, where allowed under this part or Part 20.30H LUC, is not feasible. For purposes of this section, variances from the other provisions of the LUC shall be considered not feasible only when, considering the function to be served by the proposal, a variance to other provisions of the LUC, including non-critical area setbacks, will not realize the intended function of the proposal; and

1. **The proposed two-car garage will not disturb or modified the steep slope. It will add a garage in what is today a steep slope setback. (The entire house is within the setback). The new structure will not disturb the toe of the existing steep slope and if the geotechnical report requires some mitigation, our client is ready to build the exterior wall facing the steep slope with a 4 feet high concrete wall facing the toe of the existing steep slope.**
2. **20.25H.055 B under the Geologic Hazard Areas states that an expansion of existing single family primary structures can be allowed in a critical area buffer or critical area structure set back if it meets the criteria under 20.25H.055 C.3n and 20.25H.125.**

20.25H.055 C.3n.

Expansion of Existing Single-Family Primary Structures into Critical Area Buffer and Critical Area Structure Setback. Expansion into the critical area buffer and critical area structure setback may be allowed, pursuant to a Critical Areas Land Use Permit, where expansion outside of the critical area buffer and critical area structure setback is not feasible and where the purpose of the expansion is to serve a function that is an essential component of a single-family residence. Expansion into the critical area is prohibited. Any expansion must comply with all other applicable requirements of the code, including LUC 20.20.010.

1. **As stated above we believe a two-car garage providing an additional secure parking stall is essential if our client is to be treated equitably with neighboring properties with two and three-car garages, which are regularly approved.**

20.25H.055 C.3n i. Where allowed, expansions into the critical area buffer and critical areas structure setback shall be limited as follows:

(A) The expansion shall be along the existing building line parallel to the edge of the critical area, unless such expansion is not feasible. Only when such expansion is not feasible may expansion encroach further into the critical area buffer and critical area structure setback.

1. **The proposed two-car garage cannot be located anywhere else on the site due to the unique topography of the driveway, position of the house on the site, and required maneuvering clearances.**
- (B) Expansions shall be the minimum necessary to achieve the intended functions of the expansion, but in no event may the footprint expansion within the critical area buffer and critical area structure setback exceed 500 square feet over the life of the structure. Expansions into stream critical area buffers allowed pursuant to the City's previous critical areas regulations (prior LUC 20.25H.085.B) shall be included in determining the allowed lifetime expansion; and
1. **As stated above the entire house is within the critical area structure setback of 75 feet from the toe of the critical area. The critical area in this property is part of a Geologic Hazard Area per 20.20H.120.**
- (C) Areas of new permanent disturbance and all areas of temporary disturbance within the critical area buffer shall be mitigated and/or restored pursuant to a mitigation and restoration plan meeting the requirements of LUC 20.25H.210.
1. **The slope adjacent to our client's property does not exhibit any water or instability that we can observe. However, as required we will have a geotechnical report available to you in the full application.**

20.25H.065 Uses and development within critical area buffer or critical area structure setback not allowed pursuant to LUC 20.25H.055.

This section applies to uses and development legally established within the critical area or critical area buffer prior to

August 1, 2006, and which are not included as an allowed use or [development](#) in LUC [20.25H.055](#). See performance standards at LUC [20.25H.180](#) for provisions relating to the [repair](#), remodeling, [expansion](#) or reconstruction of [structures](#) located in the frequently flooded areas. Any [alterations](#) to existing [development](#) allowed under this section shall also comply with provisions for the frequently flooded areas. In the event of conflict, the provisions that result in the most protection for the [critical area](#) or [critical area](#) buffer shall govern.

A. **Existing Primary Structures.** See LUC [20.25H.035.B](#)

B. **Existing Nonprimary Structures.** A [structure](#), other than a [primary structure](#), legally established within a [critical area](#), [critical area](#) buffer or [critical area structure setback](#) prior to August 1, 2006, shall be considered a [nonconforming structure](#). If no modifications to a [nonconforming structure](#) are proposed, then the [structure](#) may continue without coming into compliance with the regulations of this part. Compliance may in whole or in part be required when changes to a [structure](#) are proposed, as follows:

1. [Repair](#) and remodeling of a [nonconforming structure](#) is limited to minor, nonstructural [repairs](#), and [repairs](#) of mechanical systems within or supporting the accessory [structure](#). If [repair](#) or remodeling exceeds these limits, the [structure](#) shall be brought into compliance with existing [Land Use](#) Code requirements, including requirements of this part.

1. **We understand the existing house is a non-conforming primary structure and that the deck and carport are existing non-conforming non-primary structures. We are proposing adding a new deck to the back of the house and made no alterations to the existing house except replacing some windows and re-roofing, and therefore we are requesting this addition be granted for the reasons stated in this memo.**
2. **We are also proposing adding a new two car garage. The existing non-primary carport structure is too small to accommodate a truck and expanding it to fit a truck would make the existing uncovered parking area too small for a standard car unless both are enclosed as a two car garage.**

2. [Expansion](#) of existing [nonconforming structures](#), other than as allowed under LUC [20.25H.055](#), into the [critical area](#) or [critical area](#) buffer is prohibited.

1. **The property was constructed prior to August 1st, 2006. We understand the garage addition is a nonconforming structure, as well as it is a non-primary structure under the LUC and any expansions is prohibited. However, we believe a “variance is necessary because of special circumstances relating to the size, shape, topography, location or surroundings of the subject property to provide it with use rights and privileges permitted to other properties in the vicinity and in the land use district of the subject property.”** And therefore, we are requesting such variance should be granted.

3. If an existing [nonconforming structure](#) is destroyed by fire, explosion or other unforeseen circumstance requiring [repairs](#) consistent with those allowed under subsection [B.1](#) of this section, it may be repaired within the footprint existing at the time of destruction; provided, that such [repair](#) is commenced within one year of the date of destruction and diligently pursued. Areas of temporary disturbance resulting from the reconstruction shall be restored pursuant to a [mitigation](#) plan approved by the [Director](#) under LUC [20.25H.210](#). If such a [structure](#) is destroyed and requires structural or other [repairs](#) more extensive than those allowed under subsection [B.1](#) of this section, then any reconstruction of such [structure](#) shall be in compliance with existing [Land Use](#) Code requirements, including requirements of this part.

1. Non applicable

The [critical areas](#) report process may not be used to modify the provisions of this subsection B.

C. **Nonconforming Sites.** Nonstructural [development](#) legally established within a [critical area](#) or [critical area](#) buffer prior to August 1, 2006, shall be considered a [nonconforming site](#) condition. A [nonconforming site](#) condition may not be changed unless the change conforms to the regulations of this code. (Ord. 6417, 5-21-18, § 29; Ord. 5680, 6-26-06, § 3)

20.25H.120 Designation of critical area and buffers.

B. **Geologic Hazard Area Buffers.** The following [critical area](#) buffers are established:

1. General Geologic Hazard Critical Area Buffers.

a. Landslide hazards: Top-of-slope buffer of 50 feet.

b. Steep slopes: Top-of-slope buffer of 50 feet.

2. Existing Development. Where a primary structure legally established on a site prior to August 1, 2006, encroaches into the critical area buffer established in subsection B.1 of this section, the critical area buffer and structure setback shall be modified to exclude the footprint of the existing structure. Expansion of an existing structure into the critical area buffer shall be allowed only pursuant to the provisions of LUC 20.25H.065.

1. This property was constructed prior to August 1st, 2006. The existing House encroaches on the critical area structure setback.
2. We are requesting modification of the structure set back based on paragraph 2.
3. We are requesting the expansion of the existing structure. i.e., new two car garage be allowed according to paragraph 2 above.
4. Steep slopes are defined under 20.20H.120 as a slope of 40% or more that have a rise at least of 10 feet and exceed 1,000 sf. in area. The slope identified in the city GIS is adjacent to our client's property and it has a slope varying along it's length with a worst case of approximately 62.5 % and an area of roughly 1,735 SF. The proposed two-car garage presently has an area of 560 sf (half of which is the existing carport area). We will reduce the area to 499 SF so that meets this criterion. In addition, this slope contains 10 trees varies from 22" caliber to 8" caliber DEC trees. The root systems of these trees are helping to stabilize the slope and should be protected.

3. Buffer Modification. Modifications to the geologic hazard critical area buffer may be considered through a critical areas report, LUC 20.25H.230.

Non-Critical Areas setback variance information:

C. Structure Setbacks.

1. General. The requirements of this section apply along with any other dimensional requirements of the Land Use Code (see LUC 20.20.010, 20.20.130, 20.20.190 and Parts 20.25A through 20.25G). The most restrictive dimension controls. Structure setbacks are required in order to:

1. Section 20.20.010 requires a 20 feet front yard setback. We are requesting the 20 feet front yard be reduced to 6 feet for the following reasons:
 - a. We believe the additional car stall is essential to a modern single-family residence in the city of Bellevue. In today's world a family needs a minimum of two car garage.
 - b. The 6 feet front setback will still result in an effective setback of over 20 feet from the typical city Right of Way uses and functions, current and future (ie. meters, sidewalk, etc).
 - c. We believe granting this variance will not result on "giving special privileges" to our client, and it will not be detrimental to the character of the neighborhood. It will be the result of the unique circumstances of this property in relationship to a steep slope located within the city Right of Way.

a. Minimize long-term impacts of development adjacent to critical areas and critical area buffers; and

1. We believe the proposed addition will minimize the long-term impacts of the steep slope presently adjacent to the property. We believe the addition of retaining wall as part of the exterior wall of the garage will eliminate such potential impact.

b. Protect critical areas and critical area buffers from adverse impacts during construction.

1. During construction we will protect the steep slope to create any adverse impact to the existing condition.

2. Minimum Setback of Structures.

a. Landslide hazards: Determined based on site-specific geotechnical studies to reflect site characteristics, including site topography and conditions that may be conducive to fast moving, shallow debris slides and flows.

2. We believe this is not applicable, however we understand, the geotechnical report will help establish if this criteria.

b. Steep slopes: Toe-of-slope setback of 75 feet.

1. We are requesting modification of the critical area buffer of 75 feet based on 20.25H.120 paragraph 2.

3. Structure Setback Modification. Structure setbacks may be modified only through an approved critical areas report. (Ord. 6417, 5-21-18, § 39; Ord. 5680, 6-26-06, § 3)

1. A report would be developed for the variance application. What criteria beyond geotechnical and the attached survey might be required?

20.25H.125 Performance standards – Landslide hazards and steep slopes.

In addition to generally applicable performance standards set forth in LUC 20.25H.055 and 20.25H.065, development within a landslide hazard or steep slope critical area or the critical area buffers of such hazards shall incorporate the following additional performance standards in design of the development, as applicable. The requirement for long-term slope stability shall exclude designs that require regular and periodic maintenance to maintain their level of function.

A. Structures and improvements shall minimize alterations to the natural contour of the slope, and foundations shall be tiered where possible to conform to existing topography;

1. We are not planning to touch or disturb the existing steep slope.

B. Structures and improvements shall be located to preserve the most critical portion of the site and its natural landforms and vegetation;

1. We are planning to preserve the existing natural trees ranging from 8”-22” caliber as well as, the existing fire hydrant, water meter and power pole located in this steep slope.

C. The proposed development shall not result in greater risk or a need for increased buffers on neighboring properties.

1. The two-car garage will result not in a greater risk or buffers on neighboring properties.

D. The use of retaining walls that allow the maintenance of existing natural slope area is preferred over graded artificial slopes where graded slopes would result in increased disturbance as compared to use of retaining wall.

1. The two Car Garage will not encroach on the steep slope. However, we will get a geotechnical report, and we are proposing building a 4 feet high concrete wall as part of the exterior wall of the garage adjacent to the slope.

2. The present steep slope has a small 2 feet high rockery wall that we are not planning to disturb.

E. Development shall be designed to minimize impervious surfaces within the critical area and critical area buffer;

1. The existing impervious surfaces will be maintained. The garage will be built where a carport and concrete parking slab are located.

F. Where change in grade outside the building footprint is necessary, the site retention system should be stepped and regrading should be designed to minimize topographic modification. On slopes in excess of 40 percent, grading for yard area may be disallowed where inconsistent with this criteria;

1. We are not planning to do any regrading outside the building footprint.

G. Building foundation walls shall be utilized as retaining walls rather than rockeries or retaining structures built separately and away from the building wherever feasible. Freestanding retaining devices are only permitted when they cannot be designed as structural elements of the building foundation;

1. See above.

H. On slopes in excess of 40 percent, use of pole-type construction which conforms to the existing topography is required where feasible. If pole-type construction is not technically feasible, the structure must be tiered to conform to the existing topography and to minimize topographic modification;

1. We are not touching or disturbing the existing steep slope.

I. On slopes in excess of 40 percent, piled deck support structures are required where technically feasible for parking or garages over fill-based construction types; and

1. Not applicable.

J. Areas of new permanent disturbance and all areas of temporary disturbance shall be mitigated and/or restored pursuant to a mitigation and restoration plan meeting the requirements of LUC 20.25H.210. (Ord. 5680, 6-26-06, § 3)

1. Not applicable